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SAY TAX BILL WILL BE HELP TO BUSINESS

Measure Is Scheduled For House Debate Tomorrow

Washington, March 2 — (AP) — House ways and means committee Democrats said today the administration's new tax revision bill, by providing a well-balanced tax system, should bring about "a very substantial stimulation to business."

Backing up proposals to modify the undistributed profits tax, the Democrats said some of the complaints made against it were justified, but that hardships in many cases "seem to have been exaggerated."

"On the basis of the facts," they said in a formal report to the House, "your committee believes that the principle of the undistributed profits tax is sound and should be retained."

The Democrats said they believed a proposed new surtax on closely held corporations "will not create any serious hardship, and on the other hand, will protect the revenue."

They expressed a hope that modification of the capital gains levy would benefit persons interested in making long term investments and "will permit transactions to be made which are now prevented by the existing tax system."

"Political Weapon" Striking at these three types of taxes in a separate report last night, the seven committee Republicans contended that the "penalty" tax on large income corporations owned by families or by from two to ten individuals, the administration had forged a "political weapon" to "purge" the business structure of some of its foes.

They said the measure was "vicious" and "iniquitous" because of the retention of the principle of levies that have contributed to the "Franklin D. Roosevelt depression."

The Republicans submitted their report to the house after the ways and means committee formally approved the legislation by a party vote of 17 to 7.

The bill, scheduled for House debate tomorrow, would:

Provisions of Bill Lift the present 7 to 27 per cent undistributed profits tax from all corporations having net incomes of \$25,000 or less and impose on them a 12½ to 16 per cent income tax.

Place on most large income corporations what in effect would be a 16 per cent income tax, plus a 4 per cent levy on undistributed profits.

Impose on some of the larger, closely held corporations a 20 per cent surtax on income remaining after certain specific deductions are taken.

Provide that on capital gains realized on assets held more than a year, taxpayers could pay fixed rates ranging from 16 to 39.2 per cent.

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Rare Jackrabbit Denver, March 2 — (AP) — Ed, four days old today, is a rare jackrabbit.

"So far as I know," said Robert J. Neidrach of the Colorado Museum of Natural History, "Ed is the only wild jackrabbit to be delivered by Caesarian operation."

Niedrach, shot Ed's mother Saturday and found Ed when he opened her carcass. He rushed the bunny home to a nursing bottle, and now, he says, Ed is "doing fine."

Expect 9,300 Men At Camp Grant Rockford, Ill., March 2 — (AP) — National Guard officers said 9,300 men would be at Camp Grant next summer for the annual encampment of the 33rd division and attached troops.

They said all units of the division would be here, including the field artillery and coast artillery which trained elsewhere last year. Several newly organized companies in the state also would increase the number, it was said.

A \$30,000 construction program calling for new mess halls and several other buildings will be started April 1.

FATAL INJURY Eldorado, Ill., March 2 — (AP) — French Marberry, 16, of McLeasboro, died in the Eldorado hospital today of a skull fracture suffered when he was thrown from a horse last Sunday.

In Three Years

Bellingham, Wash., March 2 — (AP) — The case of Clyde Anable, charged with overparking, was called in Magistrate J. P. McGinn's court.

"Have you anything to say in your own defense?" Judge McGinn asked.

"My wife was having a baby," "Were you ever tagged before for overtime parking?" "Yes, about three years ago," "What delayed you that time?"

"My wife was having a baby," "Good afternoon," said the judge. "See you again in about three years."

ELM TREES ARE THREATENED BY CANKER-WORMS

Now Is Time To End the Spread of This Insect

The elm canker-worm has reached serious proportions over this section of Illinois and if the infestation continues to increase each spring, as it has the past two years, elms are facing a complete destruction. The majority of home owners and tree lovers of this community do not realize the damage this small canker-worm will do to their trees if something is not done immediately to prevent this insect from spreading.

Easy to Control The canker-worm, if properly handled, is comparatively easily controlled. After finishing its feeding in early June, the worms enter the ground, and pass the balance of the summer and winter in the pupa stage. The moth emerges in very early spring and moves into the trees to lay its eggs. The male moth is winged, but the female is wingless and must crawl up the trees to the outermost twigs to lay its eggs. The eggs hatch about the same time that leaves come out on the trees and the worms eat voraciously, even keeping the trees completely defoliated if present in sufficient numbers, as they were in some instances last spring. They feed for three or four weeks and then, after the first of June, return to the ground. The trees break into new leaves, but only at considerable expense to their vitality. It is this continuous breakdown in the vitality of the tree that finally kills it.

Banding Trees It can be easily seen that, since the female moth must crawl up the trees to lay its eggs, a thorough control can be obtained by preventing the female from ascending the tree. This can be done by banding the trees five or six feet above the ground with a sticky material which the moths cannot cross. Being unable to reach the twigs, the eggs are laid on the trunk of the tree and the worms, unable to get to the foliage, soon die from lack of food.

This type of control must be done before the moths emerge in the spring—not later than March 15 or 20.

Man Apprehended In Oregon Given Workhouse Term Oregon, Ill., March 2 — (AP) — Mervin Morris of Rockford, arrested Saturday night in the cabin of a Milwaukee railroad locomotive under full steam, was sentenced to 60 days in the Vandalla state penal farm today on charges of intoxication and disorderly conduct.

County Judge Martin H. Eakle, who sentenced him, heard testimony that Morris made an apparent attempt to start the engine, and broke several windows and caused a small fire at the jail after his arrest.

House Committee Refuses to Handcuff United States Navy Today Washington, March 2 — (AP) — The House naval committee refused today to restrict the navy's operations in the Pacific and Atlantic oceans to a definite area.

Chairman Vinson (D-Ga.) announced the committee had voted 16 to 6, against an amendment by Representative Kniffin (Dem-O.) which would have established a definite naval frontier beyond which the navy would not be permitted to operate.

The defense line Kniffin proposed would have extended from the western tip of the Aleutian Islands to Midway island in the Hawaiian group, then to American Guam, Panama, the Virgin Islands in the Atlantic and north to the easternmost extremity of Maine.

In rejecting Kniffin's proposal Vinson said the committee also turned down another amendment by Representative Sutphin (D-N.J.) which would have required withdrawal of all American warships from Chinese waters, including the Yangtze river patrol.

Vinson said a vote would be taken tomorrow on a policy amendment he offered which would establish a policy of non-aggression for the fleet but commit the United States to maintaining a navy strong enough to protect both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts from simultaneous attacks.

The chairman said he expected the committee to complete consideration of the \$1,171,000,000 naval expansion program tomorrow.

WORST STORM IN YEARS HIT SO. CALIFORNIA

Many Homes Isolated; No Early Casualties Reported

Los Angeles, Calif., March 2 — (AP) — One of the most severe storms in recent years brought dangerous flood conditions to southern California today.

Homes were isolated. The Red Cross worked to remove marooned refugees. Usually dry rivers ran bank full.

City and interurban traffic in many instances was halted as the streets and highways were transformed into torrents.

Houses were reported to be in a precarious condition in Santa Monica canyon in suburban Los Angeles. Byron Porter telephoned the Santa Monica Daily Outlook he was in the second story of his home with no way of getting out.

More than a hundred families were moved out of the Venice district. The Red Cross was pushing rescue work in some sections of West Los Angeles.

There was two feet of water in the basement of the Santa Monica city hall.

Dangerous Conditions A wide area in Del Rey was inundated and a dangerous condition was reported in the Mar Vista district.

Motorists who were unable to navigate Valley Boulevard into the city reported that some swans from Lincoln Park were swimming down the highway.

Two empty automobiles, parked on West Channel road, dividing line between Santa Monica and Los Angeles, were reported to have been swept into the ocean.

There were no early reports of flood casualties.

Store Fronts Sandbagged In downtown Los Angeles store fronts were sandbagged for protection as streets ran curb-full with water.

Lifeguard boats were requested for a southwest district of the city, inundated to depths of four and five feet.

Collapsed retaining walls and landslides were reported at many points, one slide burying eight garages in mud. Fifty houses in Topanga canyon were threatened by the storm run-off. Occupants were trapped in the canyon by a road washout.

Police were called to rescue families in a low area of West Los Angeles, where the water rose to doorsteps.

Santa Anita wash was brimming and Arcadia streets were submerged as county hydraulic engineers were forced to release excess water from a dam in a canyon above the town.

Los Angeles was drying out from three days of continual rain when the new storm broke last night. Nearly two inches of precipitation fell before dawn.

Rothstein Million Dollar Estate Is Rated Insolvent New York, March 2 — (AP) — The "million dollar" estate left by Arnold Rothstein, Broadway gambling king slain in 1928, today has a gross value of only \$69,963 and is insolvent, its administrators said.

Rothstein's extensive real estate holdings, the administrators said, had been overvalued and their depreciation since 1929 left the estate without enough assets to pay all creditors.

The gambler, reputedly the most affluent of his profession in the golden age when there was a sucker's dollar for every bright light on Broadway, was fatally wounded as he left a hotel early Nov. 4, 1928. The crime is still unsolved.

Detectives, Who Allowed Suspects To Escape, Fired Chicago, March 2 — (AP) — Two detectives, Frank McKune and Earl Flannery, both with records of 16 years service, were under suspension today and charged with allowing two men accused by other policemen of committing a holdup to escape.

The detectives explained they let the men go because "we didn't believe they were guilty of robbery."

Police Commissioner James P. Allman had the officers suspended from duty last night and arrested on charges of allowing prisoners to escape. Judge Eugene J. Holland immediately approved \$2,000 bonds for each.

Special Deputy Sheriff, Two Workers Shot Today In Strike at Sterling

Gas Bomb Explodes Wounding Another Near Plant

A special deputy sheriff and two workers at the Northwestern Bar-Wire Company's strike bound plant in Sterling were wounded early today in a gun fight which resulted from mistaken identity.

Another deputy suffered from the effects of a gas bomb which exploded near the plant, scene of a battle between strikers and officers yesterday when two employees were wounded.

The victims of the shooting today were Special Deputy Jim Cunningham of Fulton, shot in the hip and shoulder; Howard Scott, wounded in the abdomen; and Robert Glass, wounded in the leg.

The shooting occurred in the darkness on Lawrence Park island, opposite the factory on the Rock river. Scott and Glass, night shift workers whose homes are in Rock Falls, started home by boat in order to avoid a crowd of about 1,000 persons massed in front of the plant.

Deputies on Island Cunningham and another deputy stationed on the island flashed a light on the workers as they landed. The latter flashed a light on the deputies. Each thought the others were strikers bent on trouble. The shooting began when the deputies attempted to disarm Scott of his rifle.

Sheriff A. E. Hamilton said the strike grew out of the company's refusal to renew a contract with the Steel Workers' Organizing Committee, a CIO affiliate. A company spokesman said the SWOC and the Twin City (Sterling and Rock Falls) Labor Union, affiliated with the A. F. of L., had offered the management identical contracts. Both groups claimed they represented a majority of the 1,200 employees.

A conference of union officials and the company's officers was scheduled for this afternoon to determine if the C. I. O. is to be recognized as the sole collective bargaining agency of the employer.

RETURNS FROM TRIP Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Sandberg of South Crawford avenue, have returned home from a very pleasant visit with their son, Edward Baldwin and wife at Odessa and Vivian, La. The many friends of "Sonny" Baldwin, as he is better known in Dixon, will be glad to know that he is well and prosperous. He is interested in several large oil companies and is general manager of the Hughes Tool and Supply Company, located at Houston, Texas. He has charge of the large warehouses in eastern Louisiana and Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Sandberg returned home through Texas, Arkansas and Missouri by automobile.

Federal Debt At New High Record Washington, March 2 — (AP) — The federal debt rose to a new record of \$37,632,733,792 on Feb. 28, the daily treasury statement showed today.

The debt increased \$1,208,120,000 in the first eight months of the fiscal year and is now \$3,000,000,000 higher than it was a year ago.

On February 28, the deficit was \$1,053,198,485, compared with \$2,046,015,287 on the same date a year ago. Including the \$250,000,000 new relief appropriation just voted by Congress, the deficit is expected to reach \$1,544,345,300 by June 30 the end of the fiscal year.

Receipts for the first eight months of the year totaled \$3,860,284,765, compared with \$2,716,709,242 in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Louis W. Entorff Of Amboy Is Dead Louis E. Entorff passed away at 3:25 o'clock this morning at his home, 305 South Jefferson street, Amboy, where funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with burial in Prairie Rest cemetery, Amboy. Mr. Entorff was born in Freeport Feb. 7, 1865.

Increased Weakening "I have consulted several persons who are interested in the bridge and all have expressed the opinion that the bridge should be closed without further delay," the mayor said this afternoon, and added: "Yesterday, the Avenue G bridge

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ALL TRAFFIC ON GALENA AVENUE BRIDGE STOPPED Mayor William V. Slothower at 1 o'clock this afternoon personally supervised the closing of the Galena avenue bridge to pedestrian traffic and barricades were constructed at both approaches. At the same time he announced that an emergency ordinance would be drafted and presented to the city council at the regular weekly meeting Friday evening, which will provide a fine to be imposed on any persons who attempted to cross the structure.

Yesterday afternoon at 2:10 o'clock tie rods on the top of the north spans snapped and the entire northern span vibrated causing considerable excitement. The snapping of the cross braces could be heard for some distance and a crowd was attracted to the north end of the bridge.

Mayor Slothower was notified at once and made an inspection of the north end of the bridge, but decided that it was still safe to support pedestrian traffic. This morning, however, he ordered the structure closed to all forms of traffic and superintended the construction of woven wire barricades at both approaches.

SANITY PLEA DENIED Pine Bluff, Ark., March 2 — (AP) — Circuit Judge T. G. Parham refused today to force Arkansas prison authorities to conduct a sanity hearing for Lester Brockelhurst, confessed triple-slayer, scheduled to be electrocuted at nearby Tucker penal farm next Friday.

Word to the Wise Readers who have neglected to the start following the adventures of "Lil Abner" and "Abbie and Slats," as depicted in the new comic strips in The Telegraph, are urged to get acquainted with them at once, so as not to miss the sequence of their stories and the unusual humor. These new "funnies" are meeting an unusual welcome among Telegraph subscribers.

"Spotty," Gaunt and Tired After Imprisonment, Sleeps, Eats Today Dubuque, Ia., March 2 — (AP) — six now—but he managed to wag his tail feebly and lap a little milk. Then he was taken to visit his mistress, seven-year-old Hilda Simon, at school.

Hilda wept and clasped "Spotty" to her breast.

"I'm so glad he's safe," was all she could say.

Spurred on by "Spotty's" barks, Simon and fellow rescuers continued to dig 11 days, resorting to dynamite when rock barred their progress. Bonfires lighted the rescue work at night.

"If the little fellow hadn't kept barking," said Simon, "we'd never have found him. He's a real hero and I sure am proud of him."

LOCAL TEMPERATURE For the 24 hours ending at 5 P. M. Tuesday—maximum 50; minimum 28.

Thursday—Sun rises at 6:38; sets at 5:52.

Mourn Monkey

Hollywood, March 2 — (AP) — Jiggs, the actor with the face of a monkey and the heart of a gentleman, died yesterday of pneumonia.

The trained chimpanzee's burial this afternoon in the Los Angeles pet cemetery was to be attended by Dorothy Lamour, Ray Milland, Bing Crosby and Lynne Overman. All had worked with Jiggs in pictures.

Born in the Belgian Congo nine years ago, the chimpanzee was trained for the screen from infancy by owner Jacqueline Gentry. His antics earned as much as \$110 a day.

Jiggs liked actresses and his favorite greeting was to kiss their hand.

PERSHING SEEMS WELL ON ROAD TO RECOVERY Tucson, Ariz., March 2 — (AP) — General John J. Pershing, who a week ago was believed dying, awoke today from a fairly restful sleep, enjoyed breakfast propped up in bed, and called for his barber.

"The immediate danger appears to have passed," said Dr. Roland Davison in the first bulletin of the day from the bedside.

"The possibility of future complications from the heart or kidneys cannot be minimized," he added. "If these can be avoided, however, convalescence over a protracted period should restore him to a reasonable state of health."

Dr. Davison said the first time the doctors went in to make an examination this morning, the 77-year-old World War commander was being bathed and the second time he was eating breakfast.

"General Pershing had a fair night, but did not rest as well as on the previous night, although he was alert on awakening this morning," Dr. Davison stated.

Crisis Tonight The physicians indicated the deciding point in the general's campaign to recovery likely would be reached tonight.

His temperature was normal, he took food and fluids with little difficulty, and the absence of a relapse was encouraging, Dr. Davison said.

The sanatorium was dark and quiet during the night. Miss May Pershing, the 77-year-old World War commander's only sister, retired early. His son, Warren, and nephew, Frank, drove to Tucson, spending several hours in the city.

Principal attention of the physicians is centered on the strength of Pershing's heart, which has been subjected to intense punishment. A cardiograph, for testing his movements, was brought to the sanatorium.

"If the heart is able to pump large amounts of fluid, the general can get well," Dr. Davison declared.

Seen in Mountains A report that a plane was seen flying low through heavy rain in the high Sierra Nevada 45 miles northeast of Fresno brought TWA officials hurrying to Fresno from Los Angeles and San Francisco to direct a search of the area by ground.

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PLANE WITH NINE ABOARD UNREPORTED

Liner Is Believed to Have Crashed in Sierra Navadas

San Francisco, March 2 — (AP) — Officials of Transcontinental & Western Air said they were informed their missing skyliner had been found, badly wrecked, near Fresno.

The report said the plane had landed in a field and that the officials believed the injuries, if any were minor.

BULLETIN San Francisco, March 2 — (AP) — A strange message saying "we are all safe, but very uncomfortable," which was heard by a commercial radio program "faded" today, caused an investigation by a department of commerce inspector on the chance it came from the missing TWA plane.

Alvin Smith, Oakland inspector for the department, said J. A. Damon told him he believed he and his family heard a message from the plane, which disappeared near Fresno.

The inspector said he did not believe the message was from the missing plane.

Fresno, Calif., March 2 — (AP) — Trapped by a sudden, violent storm, a TWA airliner was believed today to have crashed with its nine occupants in the mountains east of Fresno.

The Transcontinental & Western air transport had not been heard from since 8:23 o'clock last night (11:28 p. m., CST.) when Pilot John Graves reported he was flying blind and preparing to make an emergency landing at Fresno.

Bound from San Francisco to Los Angeles, t. as caught in a sudden rain and wind storm as it flew over the Tehachapi mountains about 8:30 p. m. Ice formed on the wings. Rain fell in torrents. Static interfered with radio.

During the next hour the plane seemingly wandered in the air over San Joaquin valley, apparently trying to dodge the storm and keep on the radio beacon.

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Italy Mourns Gabriele D'Annunzio, Poet and Soldier; Died Tuesday

Credited With Giving Fascism Much Of Its Doctrine



ASSOCIATED PRESS (UNDERWOOD) GABRIELE D'ANNUNZIO

Rome, March 2.—(AP)—Gabriele D'Annunzio, Italy's soldier-poet, died Tuesday. He would have been 75 years old March 12.

Death came unexpectedly to the famous writer, who seized Fiume for Italy, at his home on Lake Garda.

It was "Annunzio who supplied Fascism with much of its doctrine and terminology and who first gave Benito Mussolini the idea of the black shirt."

His occupation of Fiume in 1919 was one of the most spectacular adventures post-war Europe has seen. It was his way of righting what he considered an injustice of the war settlement, failure of the peace treaties to award that vital port to Italy.

D'Annunzio had planned his burial in his own cemetery at Gardone Riviera, in the midst of heroes of his march on Fiume. His marble tomb already was prepared on top of the Colle Sacro, near the grave of his beloved mother.

Gabriele D'Annunzio emerged from the World War as one of the most colorful figures of that great conflict.

Seized City. His seizure of the city of Fiume as a protest against its disposition by the Conference of Versailles was the most extraordinary exploit of his picturesque career—a career which brought him fame as a poet, novelist, dramatist, soldier and patriot.

This many-sided man also attracted world-wide notice because of the many romances in which he was involved. When the war began D'Annunzio became deeply impressed with the vital necessity of Italy participating in it so as to realize her sovereignty in the Adriatic. When Italy failed to obtain Fiume in the peace conference he looked upon his country's part in the war as a failure.

At the time D'Annunzio was commander of an Italian air squadron at Venice and the peace conference action impelled him to fiery eloquence and denunciation of his own government. Public disapproval of the government's failure to obtain Fiume eventually caused the fall of the ministry headed by Premier Orlando.

A new cabinet headed by Premier Nitti was formed and in newspaper articles and speeches, D'Annunzio warned the new government that it must not return from the Peace Conference without Fiume and Dalmatia. This, he declared, was the dictum of the Italian people.

Aroused People. In his speeches he aroused the people to demonstrations against the government by referring to the ministry as "infamous vultures, who want to bury all heroism," and declaring that Italy's rights were being sold by the Peace Conference Italian Chamber of Deputies for gold. He was criticized on the ground that he had attacked President Wilson in one of his speeches.

The world was startled by the announcement on September 12, 1919, that D'Annunzio had arrived at Fiume at the head of a force of Italian soldiers said to number between 8,000 and 12,000. The men, equipped with machine guns and armored automobiles, occupied the city in violation of government orders. British and French troops moved out of the city at the request of D'Annunzio.

Detachments of soldiers under General Robilant were sent to disarm D'Annunzio and his men, but General Robilant's troops refused to obey orders. Premier Nitti denounced the action of the poet-soldier as a "misguided deed," declared the soldiers to be mutineers and sent General Badoglio to Fiume to induce the Italian soldiers to return to their regiments.

Defied Europe. For a time the orders of the government went unheeded and D'Annunzio retained his command by his appeals to the patriotism of the men. There were some skirmishes in which few of D'Annunzio's men were killed and many

Carso trenches, always in the most exposed positions.

But that was not enough for his exuberant spirit and he next transferred to naval headquarters at Venice, where he took part in many torpedo and submarine raids. Finally, he took to flying in the hope of achieving immortality even at the cost of his life. As a flyer he won three special promotions to the rank of lieutenant colonel, lost an eye, was decorated with one gold medal for valor, four silver and two bronze medals and was created an officer of the Military Order of Savoy.

His daring aerial exploits included flights over Trieste and Trent when he dropped leaflets containing propaganda to encourage the Italian residents of those cities. Later he commanded an Italian squadron in a flight over Vienna which dropped manifestos to the people and he participated in bombing expeditions upon the Austrian naval bases and submarine nests at Cattaro and Pola.

Coup Failed. With the failure of his coup at Fiume, D'Annunzio left the city a greatly disappointed man. Italy had signed the Treaty of Rapallo which settled the long-standing dispute between that country and Yugoslavia. By the terms of the treaty, Italy conceded it had no tenable claims to Dalmatia and Fiume became an independent state.

"Italy is not worth fighting for," said D'Annunzio in a final manifesto. "It is not worth while to throw my life away in the service of a people who could not be distracted for a moment from their greediness while we were assassinated by their government."

D'Annunzio became depressed after leaving Fiume and twice, it is reported, he had been saved from taking his own life. In spring of 1921 he received offers from several constituencies to elect him to the Chamber of Deputies, but he declined.

Early in 1924 there was consummated by agreement between Italy and Yugoslavia that for which D'Annunzio had been willing to lay down his life—Fiume became Italian territory and was annexed to that country. The formality of annexation was accomplished in March of that year, and upon that occasion King Victor Emmanuel conferred upon D'Annunzio the title of Prince of Montenevoso.

Lauded by Duce. The proposal to thus honor the soldier-poet was made by Premier Mussolini, who had since become head of the Fascist government. He lauded D'Annunzio as a hero and praised his service in the war in the infantry, as a mariner and as an aviator. The king, granting the request, wrote a personal letter to D'Annunzio in which he said:

"The annexation of Fiume cannot but associate itself with the thought of the soldier-poet, who, with word and action, has bound his name to the glory of the country. I am so glad to participate in it that on the proposal of the president of the council of ministers I have conferred upon you the title of Prince of Montenevoso."

Just before his seizure of Fiume D'Annunzio was planning a flight from Rome to Tokyo. The martial affairs of D'Annunzio first attracted attention in 1905, when it was reported that he vainly attempted to obtain a divorce from his wife, the Princess di Gallese, in Switzerland. After that his name was involved in several romances, dating from the time he was obliged to leave Italy on account of his debts. When reproached for his apparent scorn for conventions he is said to have replied: "I am D'Annunzio."

The romance between D'Annunzio and Eleonora Duse had its inception when she took an interest in his dramatic works and aided him in the production of several of them. Their villas adjoined each other and the bonds of friendship between them became so strong that the author declared at one time he would write dramas for no other actress than Duse. She, in turn, avowed that she would appear only in D'Annunzio plays.

Then D'Annunzio wrote a novel. In it the author was revealed as the hero and critics saw in the famous prima donna, who was the heroine, the portrait of Duse and in the story of the book their friendship stripped of all the romance and sentiment in which it was supposed to have been clothed. After that the door between their villas was locked, Duse made a brief tour in America and then retired from the stage, remaining in virtual seclusion for more than 15 years. Upon her return she appeared in Europe a few times and then came to the United States for a tour. She died at Pittsburgh in 1924.

Loved Dancer. In D'Annunzio's affections after Duse came Ida Rubenstein, a Russian dancer and actress, for whom the warrior-poet is said to have dropped the noted tragedienne, Mile. Rubenstein, wealthy and beautiful, later transferred her affections to a Russian baritone and often afterwards was referred to as "the only woman who ever jilted D'Annunzio."

She attempted to return to him when he was ill in 1922, but was rebuffed at the door of his villa. A reconciliation was said to have taken place later. D'Annunzio was reported to have married Luisa Baccara, a Venetian pianist, in April, 1921. It was said that before leaving Fiume he had obtained from the authorities a divorce from his first wife and that the marriage to Mile. Baccara took place in a small town across the Swiss border. She had been his companion throughout his dictatorship at Fiume.

In October, 1925, D'Annunzio's first wife visited him and it was said that a reconciliation between them had been effected by their son. The princess, however, quickly denied the reconciliation, saying that it was not her first, nor would it be her last visit to her husband.

"Many years ago we decided that our paths would be better apart," she added, "but we enjoy seeing each other occasionally."

D'Annunzio's place in literature was subjected to controversial opinion. One reviewer of his life wrote: "With the 'Intermezzo di Rime' appeared the beginning of

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D'Annunzio's second and characteristic manner. His conception of style was new, but some critics who greeted him as an infant prodigy rejected him as a perverter of public morals, while others hailed him as bringing a current of fresh air and the impulse of a new vitality into the somewhat prim, lifeless work hitherto produced.

"Of his dramatic works his 'Citta Morta' (1898) written for Sarah Bernhardt was said by one critic to be certainly among the most daring and original of modern tragedies and the only one by which its unity, persistent purpose and sense of fate seems to continue in a measure the traditions of the Greek theatre."

"The work of D'Annunzio, although by many of the younger generation injudiciously and extravagantly admired, is almost the most important literary work given to Italy since the days when the great classics welded her varying dialects into a fixed language."

Was Called a Jew. At the time D'Annunzio occupied Fiume there was circulated a story that he was not an Italian, but the son of a Dalmatian Jew, named Rapagnetti, settled in the Abruzzi, and that the name Gabriele D'Annunzio was assumed for literary purposes.

The story was refuted by persons who were declared to have seen the certificate of registration of the birth of the poet-soldier. This is said to show that he was born March 12, 1863, "the issue of Donna Luisa de Benedittis, 25 years of age, living in Pescara, and of Don Francesco Paolo D'Annunzio,

25 years of age, a landowner, living in Pescara."

The name of Don Camillo Rapagnetti appears on the certificate as having gone with Silla de Marinis, "mayor and officer of the civil state of Pescara, Province of Abruzzi," to have the birth of the infant registered. It further notes in the writing of the parish priest of St. Cotteo that the sacrament of baptism was bestowed upon Gabriele D'Annunzio on March 13, 1863.

The works of D'Annunzio had been placed on the Index of Forbidden Books of the Vatican as far back as 1911. This was revealed in 1926 when a movement for a popular edition of his works was abandoned because of the emphatic protest from the Vatican. The decree placing D'Annunzio's writings on the Index declared all his works injurious and especially damaging to the morals of the young.

A year later while warning a gathering of parish priests and Lenten preachers against certain reading matter, Pope Pius XI guardedly disapproved D'Annunzio's works. While not mentioning the soldier-poet by name, the Pontiff made the object of his disapproval unmistakable by reference to the proposal to launch the popular edition.

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from God for ingenuity and creative fantasy," said the Pope. "It is rare that he has not left in his work some brutal traces of impiety and immorality, preaching the doctrine of the superman who leaves morality to insignificant common folk, because supermen create a morality of their own which corresponds to their superhuman powers."

In September, 1927, an audience of 600 men and women selected by D'Annunzio each paid 1,000 lire to attend a private performance of his new play "Daughter of Ioria." It was given by a company of foremost actors and actresses of Italy in the open air theatre on the grounds of D'Annunzio's villa.

Danville, Ill., March 2.—(AP)—Counsel for the Rev. William C. McCullom prepared a motion for a new trial today after a circuit court jury convicted the 48-year-old pastor of contributing to the delinquency of 17-year-old Mildred Miller.

Attorneys said if the motion were overruled the case would be appealed.

After deliberating four hours, the jury returned its verdict yesterday. It was read by Circuit Clerk Charles Ahrens in the absence of Judge George W. Briantow, who left for his home in Paris, Ill., while the jury was out. McCullom, who is pastor of the Four Square Gospel church, sat motionless as the verdict was read. He declined to comment.

Previous Acquittal. The minister was acquitted last fall of charges he raped Mildred's sister, Retha, 14. The girls are daughters of a Hungry Hollow WPA worker, and at one time were close friends of Mr. McCullom and his wife.

Mildred testified she had illicit relations with the minister on six occasions and that he threatened to kill her if she exposed him. McCullom denied her accusations, testifying he had not seen the girl at the times she alleged the intimacies took place.

A daughter, Eleanor, and a son, Estel, testified in their father's behalf, and corroborated his testimony.

The minister testified he once found Estel and Mildred in a compromising situation.

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Coroner's Jury Rules Probable Murder, Suicide

Waco, Tex., March 2.—(AP)—Justice of the Peace Claude Segrest returned an inquest verdict of "probable murder and suicide" in the automobile crash deaths of Ethel Davis, 20, and Richard Cory, 23.

The young couple, who had been going together about two years, were crushed to death yesterday when their automobile smashed into the concrete abutment of an overpass on the Dallas highway. Segrest said Mrs. W. H. Davis, sister-in-law of the girl, testified at the inquest that the young woman kissed her mother and said: "You may never see me again" a few minutes before she left with Cory.

Justice Segrest said the automobile evidently was traveling about 95 miles an hour when it struck the rugged support, leaving its imprint in the concrete.

OTTAWA FATALITY. Ottawa, Ill., March 2.—(AP)—Andrew Jacobson, 60, a farm hand, was injured fatally Monday night when struck by a truck. He was Ottawa's first traffic fatality of 1938.

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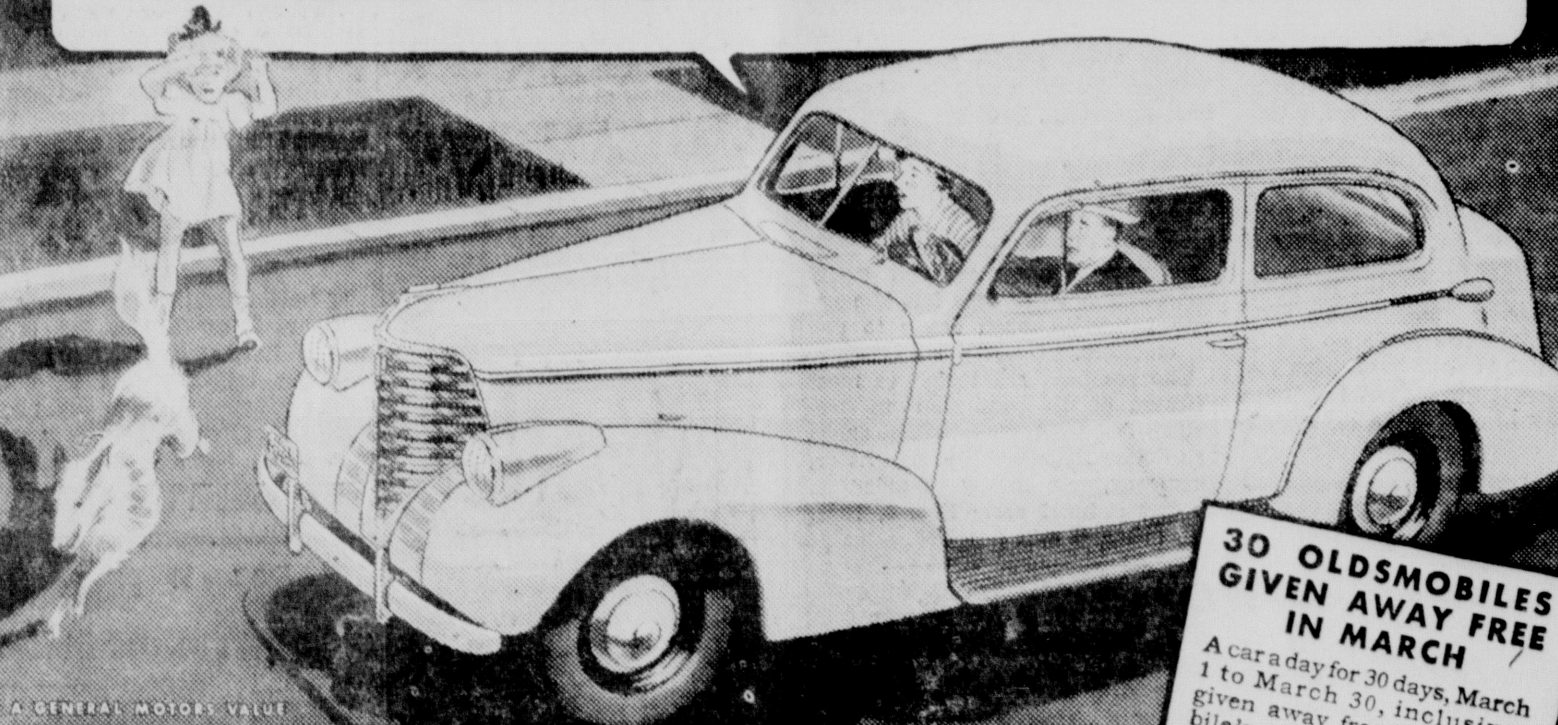
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Society News

CALENDAR

Wednesday
St. Anne's Guild—St. Anne's hall.
Wawokiye Club—Mrs. Edward Jones.
St. James Ladies' Aid Society—Mrs. Nada Burkett.
South Central P. T. A.—At the school.

King's Daughters class of Grace Evangelical church—Mrs. Ben Gaggerter.
P. T. A. Meeting—Harmon school.
Ideal Club—Mrs. Charles Swim, 1414 Third street.

Thursday
E. R. B. class of St. Paul's Lutheran Bible school—at the church.
Wa-Tan-Ye Club—4:30 P. M.
St. Agnes Guild—Guild room of St. Luke's church.
Founders' Day meeting—M. E. church.
Unity Guild—Mrs. Maria Stackpole.
W. M. S. of the Kingdom—Mrs. Will Floto.

Friday
Prairieville P. T. A.—At the school.
Nachusa P. T. A.—At the school house.
Woman's Club Book Review—High school music room, 3:30 P. M.

Sunday, March 6
Augustana Choir—First Methodist Episcopal church, 8:15 P. M.

Bible Class Has Social Last Night

The Bible class of the Brethren Sunday school whose teacher is Charles Boyd, had a social last night at the home of Mrs. Edith McWethy, 119 Douglas Avenue. Due to the death of Mrs. John Smith, president of the class, W. W. Lehman was made president of the class and Allen Wade vice president. Billy Thompson read the Scripture lesson. Allen Wade led in the prayer and W. W. Lehman took charge of the business session.

It was decided that the next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ada Underwood. The class manifested their interest in the union Lenten services and pre-Easter services in their own church.

Mrs. Miles McClain had charge of the program which consisted of having a number present have something to say about the activities of the class and their responsibility to society. The class enjoyed a social time and after thanking Mrs. McWethy for the pleasant evening in her home, Mrs. Edward Myers led in a prayer and soon the class was on the way to their own homes.

Phidian Art Club Enjoys Afternoon

The Phidian Art Club was entertained at the home of Mrs. George C. Dixon on Tuesday afternoon.

Following the usual business of the club, Mrs. Z. W. Moss took charge of the program and presented a very comprehensive paper on Colonial paintings. She told of the discouragement which was accorded the portrait, or face painter, as they were called, by the stern New Englanders; the people of the south being more kindly. The early portraits were quite primitive and the style severe.

Reproductions of the portraits of Copley, Pratt, Peale, West and Sargent were displayed and described.

The works of these artists formed the beginning of the art galleries in Boston, Philadelphia and New York. Most interesting of all was a small portrait, which is highly prized by Mrs. Moss, one of her great, great-grandmothers which was carried by that lady's husband through the Revolutionary War and was painted about 1770.

The lovely tea table was presided over by Mrs. Alexander and Mrs. Tribou.

HOUSEHOLD SCIENCE CLUB

Members of the Dixon Household Science club and their families gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murray and family Saturday night. Progressive five hundred was the diversion of the evening after which lunch was served. At a late hour the families departed and thanked Mr. and Mrs. Murray for a very happy evening.

WA-TAN-YE CLUB
A good attendance is desired at the Wa-Tan-Ye club meeting which will be held tomorrow evening at 6:30 P. M. Phone 916 for dinner reservations.

DINNER PARTY
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bracken entertained friends at dinner last night.

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Dinner Dance Is Given By Lions Club Last Night

About 50 persons enjoyed the Lions club ladies night and dinner dance last night at the Nachusa hotel. J. L. Glassburn, president of the club, gave a brief talk and introduced R. A. Conger as master of ceremonies.

Included in the floor show entertainment were musical numbers by the Devine twins, James and John, and duo-piano selections by Marilee Burns and Evelyn Worsley. Junior Edwards and his band furnished music for dancing.

A feature of the program was an interesting travel talk by Harry Warner who described his recent trip through old Mexico. Mr. Warner spoke of the contrast in American and Mexican freedom and said that while the Mexican people are poor, they appear to be happy. He pictured bullfights in detail and displayed earthen relics found in the tunnel the government is making under the Aztec pyramids in quest of rich treasures.

Decorations and table arrangements were in charge of Mrs. W. C. Kleaveland, Mrs. J. C. Alexander, Mrs. Earl Auman and Mrs. Harry Beard.

Amboy Girl Weds Dixon Young Man

Saturday afternoon, February 26, Miss Elvora Franks and Thomas Blackburn were united in marriage. The young couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Sawyer, sister and brother-in-law of the groom.

Mrs. Blackburn is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pearson of Amboy and a graduate of the Tampico high school. Mr. Blackburn is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Blackburn of this city. The bride was attired in a modest navy blue spring ensemble. The many friends of the young couple join in wishing them much happiness throughout their wedded life.

The couple is residing at present with the groom's parents on Jackson avenue.

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY

The Presbyterian Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. Willard Thompson Monday evening with a good attendance. Following the regular business meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. A. F. Moore, Mrs. A. A. Rowland, Mrs. Orville Westgate, Mrs. W. T. Terrell, Mrs. G. B. Fleuhr, Miss Edith Heinle and Mrs. Thompson.

MARDI GRAS

About 100 couples enjoyed the third annual gala mardi gras dance last night at St. Mary's hall. The affair was sponsored by the Young People's club of St. Patrick's Parish. A grand march was a feature of the evening and music for dancing was furnished by an out-of-town orchestra.

W. M. S. OF CHRISTIAN CHURCH MEETS TOMORROW

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Christian church will meet tomorrow evening at the parsonage at 7:30. Guest night will be observed, the men will have charge of the program.

E. R. B. CLASS TO MEET

The E. R. B. Class of the St. Paul's Lutheran Bible school will meet at the church Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The hostesses are Myrtle Fischer, Rebecca Cramer, Margaret Christ, Olive Meppen and Grace Welch.

ATTEND CHICKEN SUPPER AT WALTON

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Laverty and daughter Theresa and Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Ball attended the chicken supper at Walton Sunday evening. In the evening they visited at the Clarence Michels home in Amboy.

CHOIR PRACTICE

The Christian church senior choir will practice tonight at 8:00 P. M.

W. R. C. Enjoys Program Monday

The regular meeting of the Women's Relief Corps was held Monday afternoon in G. A. R. hall. A short business meeting was held after which a program was given in honor of George Washington.

Earl Forsberg, accompanied by Mrs. Hefflinger at the piano, presented a violin solo. A play was given by the children of the fourth grade from the Lincoln school. They were dressed in costumes representing George and Martha Washington and after they had enjoyed their tea together they danced the minuet. They were accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Richards, their teacher. She may well be proud of her pupils and their graceful dance.

Mrs. Hobbs, the patriotic instructor, told of the placing of the 18 flags and the presenting of the Lincoln tablet to the Lincoln school on Washington's birthday. There were several ladies present from the Sterling corps and each responded when called.

During the social time everyone enjoyed the Washington tea. Mrs. Eva Richardson and Mrs. Maud Hobbs poured. Mrs. Lena Lund and Miss Emma Holland had charge of the month of February and they deserve much credit for the success of its activities.

PRairieville P. T. A. WILL MEET FRIDAY

The Prairieville P. T. A. will meet at the school Friday evening, March 4, at 8 o'clock. A very pleasant program has been arranged and includes music by the Doodlebug band, piano and vocal solo by James Coats, an interesting talk by Mr. Tobey and a reading by Mrs. Hartshorn. Friends and patrons of the school are cordially invited to attend.

HOUSE GUEST

Miss Maebelle Currens of Nachusa spent last week at the home of Miss Gerhordine Blein of Franklin Grove and attended the basketball tournament Thursday evening.

NACHUSA P. T. A. TO MEET FRIDAY

The Nachusa P. T. A. will hold its monthly meeting Friday evening March 5, at 8 o'clock at the school. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Horner-Endorsed Candidates Give Rock Island Talks

Rock Island, Ill., March 2.—(AP)—Stopping off here on a caravan tour, several Horner-endorsed Democratic state primary candidates addressed a mass meeting last night.

State Senator Thomas V. Smith of Chicago, who is seeking the nomination for congressman-at-large in the April primary, characterized Horner-endorsed candidates as "men who measure up to needs of a new day if the Democratic party is to survive in the competition of the political market place."

Speaker Louis Lewis of Chicago, candidates for state treasurer and clerk of the supreme court, respectively, criticized the Mayor Kelly-Patrick Nash political organization in Cook county.

The caravan's scheduled stops today were Sterling, Savanna, Galena, Freeport and Rockford.

Leaking Gas Sends Eight to Hospital

Everett, Mass., March 2.—(AP)—Leaking gas from a six inch main affected nearly 60 persons in the Woodlawn section of Everett today and sent eight to a hospital.

Between 75 and 85 persons were driven from their homes temporarily. In addition to the eight taken to the hospital, approximately 50 reported they had been affected in varying degrees, from choking to semi-unconsciousness.

At one time five inhalators were in use as doctors, police and firemen worked to revive those stricken. Of those sent to the hospital, five were discharged after treatment and three were held.

Girl Scouts Troop Scribes Give Weekly Reports on Activities

Troop I
There will be no meeting of Troop I tonight, due to the high school regional basketball tournament. The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 9, at the Methodist church.

Troop IV

Following patrol corners our captain told us that we were to have our pictures taken.

Mr. Brader, who is the photographer badge examiner, came down to our troop and took a group picture.

Carol Wirth, Scribe.

Troop XI

Our Investiture ceremony was held Monday. The following girls were invested: Norma Taylor, Barbara Ashley, Shirley McElhinny, Donalee Winebrenner, Lois France, Betty Lou Miller, Hazel Louise Emmert, Mary Jane Gordon, Marie Schamall, Delores Fox, Jacqueline Teeter, and our captain, Mrs. O. Miller, and Miss Avis Ortgiesen.

Several of our mothers and Miss M. Kelly were our guests. Refreshments were served by the various patrol leaders.

The Girl Scout director was presented with a generous contribution for the Juliette Low fund, which is sent to our Chautau fund.

Barbara Hoon, Scribe.

Girl Scouting has a deeper significance today than it had 26 years ago, according to Mrs. Samuel C. Lawrence of Huntington, W. Va., who was the first registered Girl Scout in the United States. Mrs. Lawrence is a niece of the late Juliette Gordon Low, of Savannah, Ga., founder of the movement in this country, and is commissioner of her local Girl Scout council.

"As I look back on those early days of Girl Scouting I realize that my knowledge of the program was very sketchy indeed," Mrs. Lawrence said recently. "When Aunt Daisy (Mrs. Low) organized the first troop of Girl Scouts in Savannah in 1912, I was living with my family on a plantation 20 miles away. At the beginning of every troop meeting the members recited the Girl Scout Promise and Laws solemnly and at great length. The rest of the time was spent in drilling, marching or playing basketball."

"As I look back on those early days, I cannot help contrasting our activities with those of the girl of today," Mrs. Lawrence continued. "Although we could hardly call what we then had, a program, still it suited us, as the present program with its wealth of interests, suits the modern Girl Scout. Because our world was simple, Girl Scouting did not have the deeper significance it has for the girls of today who live in a more complex world. In those early days of Scouting, a girl's day was not regulated to the extent that it is now. One went to school from 9 to 2, when school was over for the day. The problem then what to do with the long afternoon. Girl Scouting filled a gap for us. Nowadays the problem is not to fill up time, but to find time. And yet Scouting means so much to girls that they do find the time for it."

"This, however, is the remarkable thing about Girl Scouting. In 26 years the actual fundamentals of the movement have not changed. The basic ideal of giving girls a standard to live by, of teaching them friendliness, co-operation and citizenship, is the same today as it was in 1912. Girls and adults alike learn to find joy in simple things, and fun and adventure in doing the everyday chores of life."

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Polo Affairs of Today

News Items Reported by Telegraph Correspondent, Mrs. Maude Reed, 510 So. Franklin, Phone 59-Y

Double Celebration Is Enjoyed Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Folkers and son Harold entertained 23 guests Sunday in honor of the 15th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John Folkers and the birthday of Fred Folkers. There were two dinner tables set and a wedding cake decorated with a miniature bride and groom made a fitting centerpiece for the one table and the other table's centerpiece was a birthday cake with candles. The guests presented Mr. and Mrs. John Folkers with crystal goblets. The following guests enjoyed the double celebration: Onno Folkers, Theodore Folkers, Mary, Mable and Kenneth Folkers, Mrs. Lee Baker and daughter Alice, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rhodes and sons Raymond and Russell, Arnon Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Folkers and son Robert, Albert Folkers, all of Dixon and Misses Gertrude and Anna Bitters of Polo.

MANY ATTEND RITES
The church of the Brethren was full and people standing for the large funeral of Johnnie Krum Tuesday afternoon. The floral contributions showed the high esteem which people in this community had for the lad.

CLUB MEETINGS
At the bridge club held at Vivian Hick's home Monday evening, Mrs. Irma Cable won high score prize. The Wednesday club met this afternoon with Mrs. Owen Ralston. Mrs. Edith Coffman reviewed "The Citadel" by A. J. Cronin.

Halcyon club met with Mrs. Buelan Western this afternoon. "Persia" was given by Mrs. Sadie Mades and "Arabia" by Mrs. Paul Cable.

The Wednesday Thimble club met today at the country home of Mrs. Jesse Osbaugh. A luncheon was enjoyed at noon.

The Alpha Book club met with Mrs. Preston Beckinbaugh Tuesday afternoon.

P. E. O. husbands entertained their wives at a 6:30 dinner Monday evening at the country club.

K. B. C. club members were guests of Miss Lillian Poole Monday night.

DINNER PARTY

Mrs. Leon Roberts entertained the following guests at a dinner party and quilting Tuesday: Mrs. Elmer Wilson, Mrs. Emma Good, Mrs. Mable Stoner, Mrs. Elias P.

TROOP 89 WINS SCOUT CONTEST TUESDAY NIGHT

Troop 89 of the First Christian church will represent Lee district in the Blackhawk area council first aid contest to be held in the Ellis school in Rockford Thursday evening. This troop scored the highest of the three teams participating in the Lee district contest held in the basement of the Christian church last evening. The boys of 89 received a score of 284 out of a possible 300 points.

The other two troops participating were 72 of the First Methodist church and 67 of the Grace Evangelical church. Both of these troops made a good showing in the contest and even though they could not all win the honor of participating in the Council contest, all of the Scouts taking part received some very valuable training in first aid.

The roster of the teams are as follows:

Troop 89, Kenneth Abbott, Scoutmaster; team members, Arnold Salzman, Orville Gearhart, Arthur Handell, Bob Sanburn and Joe Crawford.

Troop 72, Homer Schildberg, Scoutmaster; team members, Paul Marth, Miles Lonergan, James Bux-

ton, Robert Woodworth, and Robert Tennant.

Troop 67, Delbert Rinehart, Scoutmaster; team members, Edward Rinehart, Earl Charvat, Dick Wilson, Junior Pierce, and Robert Wentling.

Judges at the contest last evening were: Daniel Branigan, Edward Mahan, James Palmer and Rex Flach, Recorder E. N. Bower, and timer, E. A. Rowley.

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

DAY OF PRAYER

The World Day of Prayer services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Grace Evangelical church, corner of Ottawa and Fellows street.

A good program has been arranged. Mrs. Mattson, wife of the Christian minister in Princeton, and formerly a missionary to Jamaica, will be the special speaker.

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Amboy Activities

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REPAIR BRIDGE

The old "Thompson" bridge south of town is being repaired temporarily. The men are driving false piling to keep the structure from collapsing. The contract for the new bridge will be let in the near future.

ENTERTAINS AUXILIARY

Mrs. Harry Longman entertained the American Legion Auxiliary Tuesday evening.

DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wickham and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Heinzerth and three children were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Ella Cotter.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. O. Eckburg and Mr. and Mrs. William Andorfer attended the funeral of Mrs. Peter Fisher of Sublette at the Perkins Grove church Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Fisher was the mother of Mrs. Roy Long of this city.

ENTERTAIN CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carroll entertained their card club Sunday evening. Those present were Fred Bybes, Mrs. Hazel Walters, Mr. and Mrs. William Metzen, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hillison and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Biester. High score prizes were won by Mrs. William Metzen and Raymond Hillison. All out prize went to Mrs. Hazel Walters.

AROUND THE TOWN

Bill Holliston of Chicago is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Holliston.

Jack Ditsch is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Mary Fleuhr, Mrs. Raymond Bybee, Mrs. Helen McCaffrey and Mrs. John Lenihan of this city were

Forward

Day by Day Lessons for Reading During Lenten Season

Read St. Mark 10:32-33.

The theme of the first four Lenten days: (1) Lent, a Season of Corporate Action. (2) Fasting. (3) Almsgiving. (4) Prayer.

And they were in the way going up to Jerusalem; and Jesus went before them; and they were amazed; and as they followed they were afraid. And He again took the twelve, and began to tell them what things should happen unto Him, saying, Behold, we go up to Jerusalem; and the Son of Man shall be delivered unto the chief priests unto the scribes; and they shall condemn Him to death.

Most of us have been through Lent many times before; and it is possible that we are wondering what we may hope for this Lent now beginning. Perhaps we are thinking too much about ourselves. St. Mark's version of last Sunday's Gospel (printed above) gives us the true key-note for Lent. "Behold, we go up." This is not an

entertainment at the home of Mrs. Joseph Corman in Dixon Friday evening in honor of Mrs. Harold Coffee, a recent bride. Mrs. Mary Fleuhr received first prize in bridge and Mrs. Helen McCaffrey second prize.

Francis Murphy and Joe McGrath were recent Dixon visitors.

Mrs. Ray Fortney spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Burke, north of town.

The Ladies Aid plans a birthday card shower for Mrs. Gladys Cross who is now in Blue Island.

The Ladies Aid met this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Anna Klein.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Finn and baby daughter have moved to their new home formerly owned by Claude Smith.

Wayne Fagan, John Mattivi and Harry Turnquist drove to Chicago Tuesday evening to attend the Golden Gloves tournament.

Miss Agnes Gillian spent Tuesday evening at the Bresson home north of Brooklyn. They were present at the wake for Ed Bresson who passed away Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Comery of Dixon were visitors here Monday.

Mrs. M. J. Brown is on the sick list.

Dr. W. T. Holladay attended the Golden Gloves tournament in Chicago Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Barnickie and daughter Marilyn Jean visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reinhold.

Frank Dishong remains seriously ill.

Virgil Patch spent Tuesday in Chicago on business.

Mrs. Harold Hanson and baby are spending this week with her parents on a farm near Capron.

Willard Fleuhr of Indiana spent the week end here with his wife and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beemer.

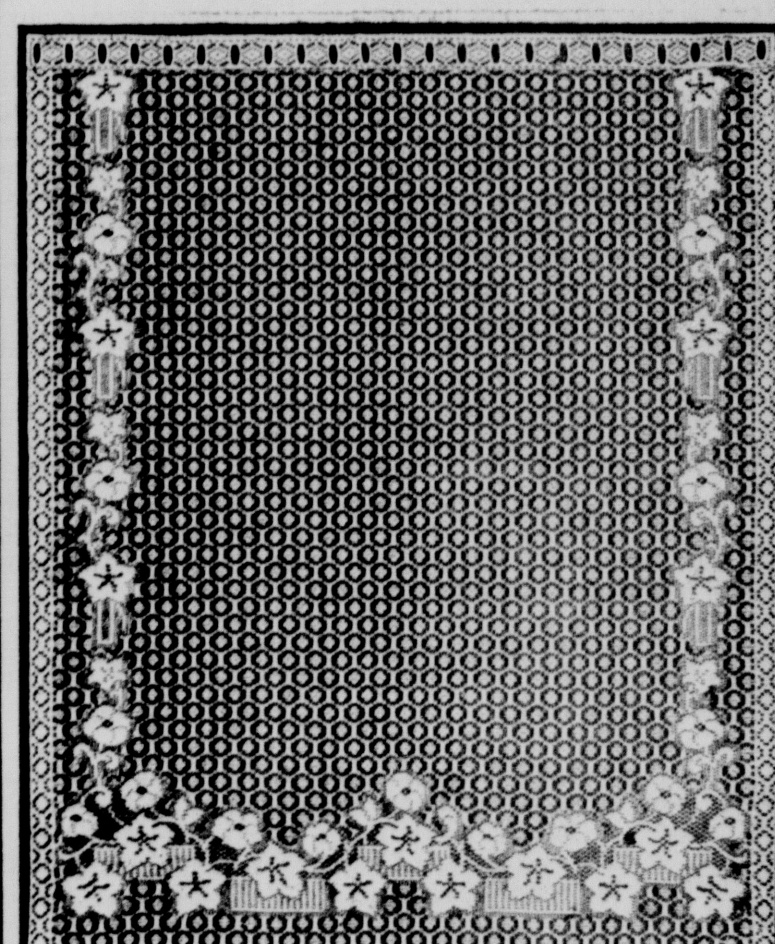
adventure of our own. The whole Church goes with us, and Jesus the Author and Perfecter of our faith leads the way.

He goes to fight a battle for us and with us; the age-long conflict between good and evil. Those first disciples felt back amazed and afraid, when they saw His eagerness. And so He waited for them and tried to help them to understand. He will wait for us too. Lord Jesus, we are very slow; but we do want to follow. O lead us on!

ACID INDIGESTION?

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THEY REAP WHAT WILSON SOWED

Chancelleries of Europe are burning midnight oil in attempts to figure out the ultimate effects of the German dictator's coup in Austria. They fear a solid bloc of nazi states extending from the North sea to the Mediterranean, a coalition even stronger than that of the central powers at the outset of the World War.

With the realization that unless some sudden hitch develops, Hitler's victory (or Austria's defeat) is greater than was apparent at first, the allied powers are reaping what they sowed along with Woodrow Wilson at Versailles.

Those who mock at the term "destiny" as applied to nations may do so with reason, but it is apparent that nations do follow a trend. When peace treaties ignore a nation's propensities toward agriculture, or industry or whatever the trend may be, they merely lock the safety valve with the assurance of a later explosion.

In the case of Germany, there seems to have been a classic theory that the German people are, or were, a nation of poets and peasants. We should say that may have been true before the age of industrialism, but from the advent of Bismarck until today that description has failed of accuracy. Industrialism fits the picture better. The Treaty of Versailles, out of respect for France and perhaps others, sought to make Germany commercially and industrially impotent.

Adolf Hitler is not a natural leader for the German people. He is the symptom of an economic disease. Had Germany been allowed a normal commercial, economic and industrial life following the war Hitler never could have become a leader in the reich.

As Hitler became leader of the Germans due to abnormal circumstances he was allowed to gain enormous influence in Austria for the same reason. At the beginning of the World War the Austro-Hungarian empire was a political, economic and military power to be reckoned with due to imperialistic expansion. Regardless of the morals of this expansion, the empire was a political and economic entity that could stand on its own legs and march. The Treaty of Versailles dismembered the empire and left central Europe a welter of political bodies without heads, heads without bodies, insulated states that couldn't get raw materials and couldn't manufacture and export if they had them.

Somebody's stern sense of justice decreed that the central powers should not only be punished for the crime of starting the World War, but should be prevented, by this dismembering process, from ever acquiring power enough to start another war. It would have been strange indeed if the allies, having defeated the aggressors, had then set them up in prosperous business.

But the fact is, no coalition can punish a second generation of an aggressor state and get away with it. Central Europe today is full of young adults who remember not a whit of the World War and had nothing whatever to do with starting it. German election returns showed a constant accretion of votes for Hitler while he, like Bryan, was running again and again. The young people were voting for the only political figure who offered them hope for release from despair.

Regardless of ultimate consequences; regardless of the fact that the Weimar republic's policy of humble conciliation may have been the way of honor, Hitler has accomplished certain things. He has freed Germany from the reparations program; he has freed German rivers from foreign control; he has reestablished the watch on the Rhine; foreign powers no longer have a hand in control of German banking; the German army again goose-steps, and submarines stir the deep.

Perhaps Hitler will realize his dream of pan-Germanism. He could be dissuaded from his projected march toward the east by a firm stand of England and France, and no doubt he might rather accept colonies than fight for the Ukraine.

After the German dream of economic and industrial equality has been realized the powers will find it possible to get back to their old argument about who shall boss Europe. France tried it and failed when Britain joined the Germans at Waterloo. Germany tried it and failed when Britain sided with the French, although in the latter case the parallel is spoiled by American intervention.

As we see it the controversy over Europe's domination extends back at least to the time of Christ, and in all that time not a particle of constructive statesmanship has been devoted to teaching nations how to live side by side in peace.

At Versailles, for instance, they couldn't even see twenty years ahead.

OUR TRUST BUSTERS

Once upon a time a man was sent to the United States senate with the reputation of having been a trust buster, as an assistant attorney general. More quiet support was given by the railroad of which he had been a legal counsel. When he had established himself in the senate, there were those who said of him that the principal trust that he had busted was that put in him by the Illinois Central railroad.

Theodore Roosevelt was among the first to acquire

the title of trust buster, but he said there were good trusts and bad trusts, meaning, of course, that he instead of the law should determine which ones should and which ones should not be busted.

John T. Flynn, in the March Commentator, asserts that the president says he is against monopoly, but his actions speak otherwise. The Commentator, commenting upon President Roosevelt's outbursts against monopolies and his sending Assistant Attorney General Jackson out to rail against them, says the president is kidding the public; that the anti-trust laws still are on the books, although he muttered angrily when they were reinstated by nullification of the NRA.

Then there was Calvin Coolidge, whose name never was mentioned in relation to trust busting. All he was interested in was the people. Under Calvin Coolidge there were 133 prosecutions under the anti-trust laws, to only 43 under Roosevelt.

May we drop from the sublime to the barnyard where they say:
"The still sow drinks the swill."

RADIO

Outstanding Programs For Tonight and Tomorrow Listed

TONIGHT
6:00 Amos 'n' Andy—WFO
Easy Aces—WENR
Hal Totten—WMAQ
6:15 Uncle Ezra—WMAQ
Tracer of Lost Persons—WENR
6:30 Mario Cozzi—WENR
6:45 Adult Education—WBBM
Cheer up America—WMAQ
7:00 One Man's Family—WMAQ
Cavalcade—WBBM
7:30 Eddie Cantor—WBBM
Tommy Dorsey—WMAQ
Lone Ranger—WGN
Harriet Parsons—WIS
8:00 Town Hall Tonight—WMAQ
Lawrence Tibbett—WBBM
8:30 Ben Bernie—WBBM
Cleveland Orchestra—WENR
9:00 Hollywood Parade—WMAQ
Gang Busters—WBBM
9:30 Hobby Lobby—WBBM
Minstrel Show—WENR
10:00 Amos 'n' Andy—WMAQ
Poetic Melodies—WBBM
10:15 Louis Falco—WENR
10:30 Henry Busse's Orch.—WMAQ
Louis Armstrong's Orch.—WENR
10:45 Sammy Watkins' Orch.—WGN
11:00 Roger Pryor's Orch.—WCFL
Mat Brandywine's Orch.—WMAQ
Dic Marrie's Orch.—WBBM

THURSDAY

Morning
7:00 Musical Clock—WBBM
8:00 Breakfast Club—WCFL
8:30 Road of Life—WBBM
8:45 Dan Harding's Wife—WMAQ
Illinois League of Women Voters—WJJD
9:00 Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch—WMAQ
Pretty Kitty Kelly—WBBM
Margot of Castlewood—WIS
9:15 Myrt and Marge—WBBM
Cabin at the Crossroads—WIS
John's Other Wife—WMAQ
9:30 Just Plain Bill—WMAQ
Attorney at Law—WIS
Emily Post—WBBM
9:45 The Woman in White—WMAQ
10:00 David Harum—WMAQ
Story of Mary Martin—WIS
Mary Lee Taylor—WBBM
Romance of Carol Kennedy—WBBM
Backstage Wife—WMAQ
Bachelor's Children—WGN
Pepper Young's Family—WIS
10:30 Big Sister—WBBM
Vic and Sade—WIS
The Homemakers Exchange—WMAQ
10:45 The Goldbergs—WLV
Real Life Stories—WBBM
11:00 Mary Margaret McBride—WBBM
Girl Alone—WMAQ
11:15 The O'Neills—WMAQ
News Parade—WBBM
11:30 Romance of Helen Trent—WBBM
Farm and Home Hour—WMAQ
11:45 Our Gal Sunday—WBBM
Three Romances—WCFL
Afternoon
12:00 Dinner Bell—WIS
Betty and Bob—WBBM
12:30 Words and Music—WMAQ
Arnold Grimm's Daughter—WBBM
12:45 Hollywood in Person—WBBM
Voice of Experience—WCFL
1:00 Music Guild—WMAQ
1:15 Let's Talk it Over—WMAQ
The O'Neills—WBBM
1:30 News—WMAQ
School of the Air—WBBM
Lucky Girl—WGN
1:45 Quartet—WMAQ
Beatrice Fairfax—WGN
2:00 Pepper Young's Family—WMAQ
Varieties—WOC
2:15 Ma Perkins—WMAQ
2:30 Vic and Sade—WMAQ
Army Band—WOC
2:45 The Guiding Light—WMAQ
3:00 Science Service Series—WOC
Lorenzo Jones—WMAQ
Club Matinee—WENR
3:15 The Story of Mary Martin—WMAQ
3:30 The Goldbergs—WBBM
Gen. Fed. Women's Clubs—WCFL
3:45 The Road of Life—WMAQ
4:00 Follow the Moon—WBBM
4:15 Life of Mary Sothorn—WBBM
Myrt and Marge—WHO
4:30 Harry Kogen—WMAQ
Step Mother—WBBM
4:45 Hilltop House—WBBM
5:00 Dick Tracy—WMAQ
5:45 Lowell Thomas—WLV
Straight Shooters—WMAQ

Tourist Slayer Denied Sanity Hearing In Cell

Pine Bluff, Ark., March 2.—(AP)—Supt. Al Reed of the Arkansas penitentiary has denied a petition for a sanity hearing of Lester Brockelhurst, 24, scheduled to die in the electric chair at Tucker prison farm Friday for the hitchhike slaying of Victor A. Gates, Little Rock landowner.

The petition claimed the Galesburg, Ill., "crime tourist" is insane now and asserted proof of his insanity would be furnished through affidavits from more than 50 Galesburg residents and two Little Rock doctors.

Brockelhurst's attorneys did not announce what their next move would be.

In previous attempts to have a condemned man declared insane just before his execution, denial of the petition by prison officials has been followed by an appeal to the local circuit court for a mandamus order for the sanity hearing.

DANGEROUS PLAY

Pocahontas, Idaho, March 2.—(AP)—"Some boys are playing soccer with some sticks," a quiet-loving complainant phoned police. Officers found the sticks—25 of them—were dynamite. The boys said they found them.

Brain Twizzlers

By
PROF. J. D. FLINT



Now we dip into political history and decode the names of Presidents of the United States. You ought to be fairly expert at decoding by this time. A few more and we'll give you a recommendation for the intelligence department of the Allied Twizzler Republics.

Here are the code names of the Presidents:

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 3. URZTXRT
 4. HIXZNTQCR
 5. JWKZTIT
 6. UKOXRT
 7. ANLBKRL
 8. YNTKRYT
 9. KRRYNSQL
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 11. ZIBBXRT
 12. BRRXLDLYC
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F. D. R. THOUGHT AIMING BLOW AT MONOPOLY POWER

Investigation Of Anti-Trust Laws Is Hinted

Washington, March 2.—(AP)—White House conference on revising the anti-trust laws strengthened the belief of many legislators today that President Roosevelt would ask Congress to undertake a thorough investigation of monopolies.

The president said yesterday he would submit an anti-trust message soon, but gave no approximate date. The general opinion on Capitol Hill was that he would not advocate any new legislation until the inquiry was completed.

Consideration of specific bills thus would be deferred until next year, because congressional leaders hope for an early adjournment.

Such a course would be in line with the contention of many observers that the administration is avoiding any steps which might discourage an upturn in business.

Details Unrevealed

Roosevelt disclosed no details of his monopoly talks yesterday with Attorney General Cummings, Assistant Attorney General Jackson, and Chairman Douglas of the securities commission.

At his press conference, however, he replied to several questions regarding other business and labor problems.

Secretary Roper had informed him, Mr. Roosevelt said, that "self help" was well lacking in suggestions from small business men for combating the recession. The commerce department still is analyzing their proposals.

Complaints of Press

The president said he had no immediate changes in mind for the National Labor Relations Act, but added it was an evolutionary law and he hoped it would be improved from time to time. He placed the social security and crop control acts in the same category.

Letters from about 15 manufacturers and employees, Roosevelt said, complained that newspapers do not give enough publicity to cases settled by the labor relations board. He read from the board's January report showing that of 116 strike cases, 103 cases covering 8,030 workers had been settled under the act.

Roosevelt also conferred yesterday with Senator Glass (D-Va.) about the latter's proposal to regulate bank holding companies and to prevent creation of new ones.

COMPTON NEWS

By Mrs. Mary A. Donagh

Compton—Mrs. Charles Bauer visited with relatives and friends in West Brooklyn Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Richardson and son Hugh spent Saturday evening in DeKalb.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlo Olson visited Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Olson in Rochelle.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Leake and children of Amboy visited Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beemer.

Visitors at the William Swope home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Kerchner and family of Belvidere and Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Bresson and little daughter of Viola.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Donagh and daughter visited Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Patterson and family near Polo.

Miss Daisy July spent Tuesday evening with friends in Rochelle.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Burley, daughter and Mrs. Myrtle Burley were entertained at supper Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bohart at Ashton.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Richardson, son Hugh of Compton and Miss Hester Merriman of DeKalb were entertained at dinner Sunday at the home of Mrs. Josephine Merriman of Paw Paw.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Swope visited the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holdren at Aurora.

Duane July and Robert Greg of Belvidere spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chris July and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Donagh entertained Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. John Patterson and daughter Edna of Polo and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Remmers and daughter of Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Otterbach and daughter were callers in Rockford Friday.

Robert Strong of Earlville was a recent business caller in Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Eden and son Rodney of Paw Paw visited Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Pettys.

Miss Hester Merriman of DeKalb spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Richardson and son.

Mrs. Charles July of Peoria spent Tuesday evening at the Chris July home.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Fluor of Amboy were entertained at dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beemer.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mireley of Sterling spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Florence Mireley and family.

Kenneth Carnahan of Paw Paw spent the week end at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Len Carnahan.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Holdren of Aurora were Sunday evening supper

LET'S EXPLORE YOUR MIND

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"THE MARKS OF A CLEAR MIND"



"The keenest anguish known to human nature is the pain of a new idea."

Answer to Question No. 1

1. About half of the feeble-minded people of the world are born from normal, intelligent parents. This is because the "determiners" that cause feeble-mindedness are apparently recessive, which means that if a feeble-minded person be mated with a normal person some of the children will likely be normal but will "carry" feeble-minded determiners in a portion of their germ cells. Now, if such a person should marry another person carrying similar determiners, some of the children would almost certainly

be feeble-minded. This happens rarely but does sometimes occur. The parents should not unduly grieve or blame themselves as we know no way to prevent it.

Answer to Question No. 2

2. No. It's because they cannot be just around the corner. They follow the motto, put off anything you can until tomorrow for you may get out of doing it. All authorities agree every one should make a will, if he has nothing to leave but his gold teeth and watch fob. It lets everybody know what you thought of them.

guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Swope.

The Misses Marion and Juanita July and Gabriel Plured of Rochelle July home.

Mrs. A. H. Lancaster and Mrs. Emma Robbins of Dixon were Sunday afternoon callers at the Frank Donagh home.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Lutz are now spending a few weeks in Hot Springs National Park, Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Archer spent the week end with relatives and friends in Iowa. Mrs. Archer remained for a short visit.

Mrs. L. D. Miller, Miss Ruth Nye, Miss Virginia Ogilvie, Mrs. Robert Smith and daughter Nita spent Tuesday in Rockford shopping and visiting at the home of Mrs. Ed Werner.

Arlie Gilmore and Harry Gilmore returned home from a two week's trip to Florida.

Surprise Party
H. M. Chaon was pleasantly surprised on Thursday evening, the event being his birthday. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Glaser, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gillette, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chaon and daughter Helen Louise, Mr. and Mrs. August Chaon of Sugar Grove, Illinois, Mrs. Xavier Chaon of Conde, South Dakota, Louis Chaon and daughter Rosetta and Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Chaon of Sublette. Mr. Chaon was the recipient of many gifts and after a dainty lunch served by Mrs. Chaon the guests departed wishing Mr. Chaon many more happy birthdays to come.

Entertained 500 Club
Mrs. Emma Mehlbrech entertained the 500 club at her home Tuesday afternoon. Prizes went to the following: Mrs. Mabel Chaon, Mrs.

Lillian Bauer and Mrs. Amanda Florscheutz.

A lovely lunch was served by the hostess. The next club meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Nellie Bernardin.

Entertained Guests
Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Miller entertained at their home Tuesday evening with a George Washington party.

The evening was spent by playing 500 and plug-pong. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Glenn Grimes, Edward Grimes, Mrs. Edith Whitsell and Charles Bauer.

The hostess served a delicious buffet lunch with the favors and card scheme carried out with Washington's birthday design. Later the guests roasted marshmallows and wieners over the fireplace. The guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitsell, Eugene and Kenneth Whitsell, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Grimes, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Grimes, Edward and Don Grimes, Miss Virginia Ogilvie, Miss Ruth Nye, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bauer and Dorrance Pierce.

Wife Beater Gets Cat-O-Nine Tails
Baltimore, March 2.—(AP)—Twenty lashes from a cat-o-nine tails seared the bare back of Clyde Miller before witnesses at the city jail Tuesday as part of his sentence of six months imprisonment for beating his wife Thursday.

Sheriff Joseph C. Deegan, six feet, two inches tall and weighing 220 pounds, wielded the whip on the 37-year-old, 145-pound printer.

Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, 33, who had said she would take someone along to describe the flogging if her blackened eyes still remained closed, was not there.

FLAPPER FANNY

By Sylvia



"Follow that car! An' see if you can crowd it to the curb in front of the soda fountain."

YEARS AGO

Outstanding News of Dixon and Vicinity in the Past

From The Dixon Telegraph 50 YEARS AGO

Robert Fulton will take charge of the entire delivery list of the Telegraph, commencing Monday, March 5. He proposes canvassing the entire city, thus greatly increasing the present circulation.

Daniel Bresnahan had been in the business of draying 38 years yesterday. A third of a century nearly, has he faithfully served his customers here in Dixon and all wish that he may continue for a score and a half years more.

A very large attendance of friends were at the wedding of Ralph H. Hendrix and Miss May E. Fry last evening at the home of the bride's parents.

25 YEARS AGO

John Nagle of Woosung has taken court action against the Illinois Central for blocking crossings in the vicinity of Woosung.

The Henry Lebowich home, 304 Chamberlain street, was badly damaged by fire Sunday morning.

John S. Norris, known to many as "Uncle John," died Sunday morning at the home of his brother-in-law, Robert Tschout.

10 YEARS AGO

Albert M. Carpenter, aged resident of Franklin Grove, passed away yesterday.

A mastodon's tooth was brought from the bed of Rock river yesterday by the gravel dredge at the Dixon Gravel company plant.

The county highway superintendent's office today announced having obtained the necessary right of way for the building of state route 70 in Viola township.

SHAWNEETOWN NOT ONLY CITY TO MOVE AWAY

Chicago, March 2.—(AP)—Shawneetown is not being original among Illinois when it picks up its skirts and moves, John T. Frederick, state director of the WPA writers' project, said.

He added, however, it was the first move in an effort to keep its feet dry. Earlier movers—and he named Johnston City and Utica—changed locations for economic reasons, he said.

These facts were learned by members of the federal writers' project engaged in compiling a state guide book.

Shawneetown is moving several miles inland from the Ohio river to forestall a repetition of last year's disastrous flood.

Frederick said his writers learned that years ago a town called Lake Creek moved about a mile to be on a railroad which today is the Chicago & Eastern railroad. The community was renamed Johnston City after Ben F. and P. M. Johnston, brothers who built the railroad.

Utica moved a mile north in 1852 to hug the Illinois-Michigan canal, upon which it depended for most of its existence.

In the last four years the number of automobiles operating in Germany has grown from 1,633,000 to 2,475,000.



KNACKS KEEP UNDISPUTED LEAGUE LEAD

Beat Reynolds 44-24; Telegraph Loses To Sterling

Playing against a Reynolds Wire team that was short of manpower for the contest, the Knacks Leaders had little trouble keeping a strong hold on the Industrial basketball league lead Tuesday night by trouncing the Factorymen 44 to 24. In the second game the greatly-strengthened Telegraph quint after leading almost until the last five seconds of play, dropped a 20 to 18 decision.

The Wire team held up fairly well during the first quarter and almost tied the score twice. Playing with only five men and no reserves the Reynolds team soon faded and the Knacks began to assert their real drive midway in the first quarter piling up a 16 to 7 lead. The Knacks only outscored the Reynolds team 6 to 5 in the second period however. The Grove boys, (and they're poison when it comes to basket-shooting) started getting some of those "impossible" ones to keep the wine-colored Factorymen still fighting even though down. The Knacks ended the quarter with a 22 to 12 lead.

Game Mostly Knacks

The game was mostly Knacks in the latter half however. Only John and Murrie Grove scored buckets in the third period and the story was the same in the final stanza—just Johnny and Murrie.

The Telegraph crew paced by Windy Windmiller gave the Sterling Walz Lunch second place holding team a rousing contest before sagging in the last five seconds of play to lose a heart-breaking 20 to 18 decision. Sterling held a 5-4 first quarter lead when Bailey's field goal had put the Walzers in a 5-2 lead before Bishop slipped one in for the Telegraph just as the quarter ended. The Pressmen were behind 9-6 midway in the second frame when Bishop, Warfel, Windmiller got busy to start a rally that gave the Telegraph a 10-9 half time lead.

At this juncture a couple of Telegraph subs went in and Sterling began to cut down the Press team's margin to tie the count 16 to 16 in the third period. Bowers, Rayhorn, and Warfel who had retired from the game rushed in again in the last quarter and Windmiller put the Telegraph ahead 18 to 16 until the last minute of play when Brandau saved the day for Sterling with two buckets.

Knacks (44)				
	Fg.	Ft.	Pf.	Pt.
Ulrich, f.	3	3	2	9
Boyd, f.	7	2	0	16
Bellows, c.	4	0	1	8
Potts, g.	1	2	3	3
Gilbert, g.	3	0	3	6
Hubbell, f.	1	0	1	2
Cockley, f.	0	0	0	0
Miller, g.	0	0	0	0
Totals	19	6	9	44

Reynolds (24)				
	Fg.	Ft.	Pf.	Pt.
M. Grove, f.	5	0	0	10
J. Grove, f.	4	1	1	9
McMillion, c.	1	0	2	2
R-sub, g.	1	0	3	2
Bishop, g.	0	1	3	1
Totals	11	2	9	24

Sterling (20)				
	Fg.	Ft.	Pf.	Pt.
Weaver, f.	1	0	1	2
Brandau, f.	2	1	0	5
Zhinden, c.	2	1	0	5
Bailey, g.	1	0	0	2
Miller, g.	0	0	4	0
Hendricks, f.	1	0	1	2
Davidson, f.	1	2	1	4
Totals	8	4	7	20

Telegraph (18)				
	Fg.	Ft.	Pf.	Pt.
Bishop, f.	1	3	0	5
Windmiller, f.	5	0	1	10
Rayhorn, c.	0	0	1	0
Warfel, c.	0	1	1	1
Bowers, g.	1	0	2	2
Naylor, c.	0	0	1	0
Flanagan, g.	0	0	1	0
Flatt, g.	0	0	1	0
Totals	7	4	8	18

Referees: Rusk and Lebre. The standings now are:

	W.	L.	Pct.
Knacks	9	1	.900
Sterling	7	3	.700
I. N. U.	4	5	.444
Reynolds	4	6	.400
Telegraph	0	9	.000

Already in use in Europe, the Lorenz radio compass has just been introduced in the United States as a means of guiding airplanes to exact landings.

BOWLING

TONIGHT'S SCHEDULE
Classic League
7 P. M.—Buick-Pontiac vs. Knacks. Boyton-Richards vs. Millers.
9 P. M.—Budweisers vs. Williams. DeSoto. Beier's Loafers vs. United Cigars.

CITY LEAGUE		
	Won	Lost
Reynolds Wire	44	25
Hayden's Service	41	28
Post Office	37	32
Pioneer Service	35	34
The Bridge Inn	35	34
Beier's Salesmen	34	35
Fosselman's Royal Blue	29	40
La Fendrich's	21	48

TEAM RECORDS		
	High Team Game	
Beier's Salesmen	1118	
Hayden's Service	1086	
High Team Series		
Beier's Salesmen	3125	
Reynolds Wire	3058	

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS		
	High Ind. Game	
McCardie	255	
Worley	255	
Becker	253	
High Ind. Series		
Worley	671	
Fallstrom	638	

Hayden's Service				
	Fg.	Ft.	Pf.	Pt.
J. Smith	189	183	171	543
Pollock	149	203	167	519
Detweiler	145	148	186	479
Hayden	133	138	140	411
Wolf	148	158	138	444
Hdcp.	57	57	57	171
Totals	821	887	859	2567

Reynolds Wire				
	Fg.	Ft.	Pf.	Pt.
Becker	157	152	211	520
Dunkleberger	137	191	181	509
Lacks	144	185	131	460
Curran	150	168	192	510
Wrennrenner	180	179	180	539
Hdcp.	69	69	69	207
Totals	837	944	964	2745

Fosselman's				
	Fg.	Ft.	Pf.	Pt.
E. Myers	162	162	162	486
Legore	148	141	143	432
G. Myers	150	137	157	444
Glessner	112	159	156	427
Daschbach, Jr.	181	168	166	515
Hdcp.	136	136	136	408
Totals	889	903	920	2712

Post Office				
	Fg.	Ft.	Pf.	Pt.
Duffy	190	137	183	510
Horton	142	156	124	422
Tilton	172	146	154	472
Biggart	184	168	200	552
Worley	178	184	222	584
Hdcp.	69	69	69	207
Totals	935	860	952	2749

The Bridge Inn				
	Fg.	Ft.	Pf.	Pt.
Scott	151	145	137	433
Coleman	178	153	125	456
Witzleb	138	188	135	461
Buchanan	171	180	190	541
Ridbauer	179	135	123	437
Hdcp.	94	94	94	282
Totals	911	895	904	2610

Beier's Salesmen				
	Fg.	Ft.	Pf.	Pt.
Wade	146	123	116	385
McWethy	134	111	146	391
McCardie	137	134	179	450
M. Quaco	121	128	171	420
Bollman	134	169	144	447
Hdcp.	148	148	148	444
Totals	820	813	904	2537

LaFendrichs				
	Fg.	Ft.	Pf.	Pt.
H. Fordham	177	164	184	525
Pritchard	161	97	154	412
Scott	150	116	173	439
Pelton	121	196	157	474
M. Fordham	167	137	158	462
Hdcp.	126	126	126	378
Totals	902	836	952	2690

Pioneer Service				
	Fg.	Ft.	Pf.	Pt.
Fallstrom	169	212	147	528
Strub	130	169	146	485
Underwood	164	193	197	554
Jacobson	147	162	175	484
Devine	146	169	155	470
Hdcp.	76	76	76	228
Totals	832	981	936	2749

ELGIN CHOSEN SITE FOR SEMI-PRO BALL MEET

The Illinois semi-pro championship baseball tournament has been tentatively established at Elgin in July under the direction of A. R. Dahm of Elgin, state commissioner.

Two district commissioners have been appointed to supervise district tournaments preceding the state finals, according to Dahm. They are Ralph R. "Dutch" Leonard of Champaign and Joseph M. Stanzak of North Chicago.

District tournaments are being established throughout Illinois to precede the state tournament. Persons interested in accepting a post as district commissioner should communicate with the state commissioner or with the National Semi-Pro Baseball Congress, Wichita, Kan.

The first non-stop flight across the United States in a flying boat was completed when Richard Archbold and a crew of three arrived at North Beach Airport, New York, after a 17-hour 2 minute flight from San Diego, Calif.

SISLER DIRECTS DISTRICT SEMI-PRO BALL MEETS

Affiliated With Baseball Congress From Its Beginning

St. Louis, Mo., March 2—George Sisler, ex-manager and first baseman of the St. Louis Browns, recently became director of all district tournaments sanctioned by the National Semi-Pro Baseball Congress. He has been affiliated with the congress since it was first organized and is the third major league star of yesterday to head a division of the organization. This Speaker being director of state tournaments and Fred C. Clarke heading the National Association of Semi-Pro leagues.

In taking the new positions, Sisler endorsed the new national units of the organization, including the system of leagues which will bring 10,000 teams under a tested plan of play, the contract system, which will prevent player raids by other teams; and the umpires' association, founded in order to improve the standard of officiating in semi-pro circles.

Handles 768 Tournaments

However, Sisler's duties will be connected with district tournaments, giving him supervision over 768 district meets which will be conducted by the congress in every state in the nation in 1938 as a part of the expansion program of the semi-pros. Sisler will be on hand to open a number of district meets.

Under the new tournament plan, district winners will compete in 48 state tournaments, state champions will meet in 30 regional tournaments, and regional winners will vie with the winner and runnerup of the 1937 National tournament for the national title at Wichita, Kan., in August.

Complete details of the semi-pro guide on sale at sporting goods stores.

On the Side

Bits of Gossip of Sports Picked Up By AP Writer

New York, March 2—(AP)—Feed box special: Watch that Indiana football team next fall. . . If it doesn't turn out to be one of the country's big surprises, our dope is wrong. . . (And grey haired Bo McMillin probably will want to murder us for tipping you off) . . . So this is spring training! New York World-Telegram carries a picture layout showing Hank Greenberg disporting on the beach with an eye filling cutie; Dizzy Dean puffing a cigarette and swinging a masher and Al Simmons doing a Greenberg on another beach. . . Pretty soft, eh? . . . And up here the winds knock your ears off.

Fresh from Dixie: Bill Terry says the new ball park at Baton Rouge is the best the Jints have trained in since he joined the club 15 years ago. . . The Reds have no less than 50 players tuning up at Tampa. . . Every ball player in Florida is pulling for Joe Medwick to get the \$25,000 he is demanding from the Cards. . . Joe is getting a bit temperamental. . . He went out to see the Yanks train at St. Pete. . . But when 10:45 came round and nary a ball player had showed, Joe hit the grit for the golf course. . . He won't wait even for royalty. . . Oscar Vitt has laid down the law to Roile Hemsley, who has promised to be a good boy from now on.

Here the week's bell ringer: Pelton called up the Kansas City star and asked if Nathan Mann had whipped Louis if Joe would have lost his outdoor as well as his indoor title. . . Haw! . . . Chicago, Milwaukee, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Pittsburgh and Philadelphia will get a look at razzle dazzle football as she is played in the southwest this fall. . . Here's a puzzler: Charley Gallagher trains both the St. John's (Brooklyn) and St. Francis college cage teams. . . They meet in the Garden tonight. . . On which bench shall Charley sit? . . . He could park in the aisle, but suppose a player on both teams is hurt at the same time.

Modernization and enlargement of safety devices along established commercial airlines at a cost of approximately \$7,000,000 has recently been announced by Secretary of Commerce Daniel C. Roper.

Legislatures during the 1937 season took up the challenge of mounting vehicle fatalities by enacting what is probably the largest number of uniform traffic laws ever passed in a single year.

IN SPRING TRAINING CAMPS

Activities of Major League Teams in the South and West Prior to Opening of Baseball Season

By The Associated Press

Baton Rouge, La.—With few, if any, worries as to who will play what position on his New York Giants, Bill Terry already is concentrating upon the finer points of baseball. He had his pitchers fielding bunts yesterday and practicing covering first base while the first sacker handled grounders rolling down the line.

New York—The Brooklyn Dodgers' first squad leaves today to open the training camp at Clearwater, Fla. Four players, Alta Cohen, Clyde Sukeforth, Walter Singer and Jack Kimball will start from here.

St. Petersburg, Fla.—There's an obvious reason why outfielder Jack Powell joined the New York Yankees' squad several days before he was due. Scaling 189, he is 14 pounds above normal weight.

Orlando, Fla.—Manager Bucky Harris of the Washington Senators set aside today for the first session of his annual endeavor to teach Monte Weaver how to conceal his pitching delivery. Harris says Weaver's habit of exposing the grip on the ball cuts his effectiveness 30 per cent.

New Orleans.—Oscar Vitt, Cleveland's new manager, says he regards fifth place as an important spot in the batting order and for that reason the Indians will present a new lineup for their exhibition. Vitt favors a left-handed heavy hitter for the spot and believes this may call for Earl Averill, who had batted third ever since he joined nine years ago.

En Route to Pasadena, Calif.—The Chicago White Sox, their holdout ranks reduced to three

by the signing of Catcher Luke Sewell, were on their way today to open training drills at Pasadena, Calif., Thursday. The only unsigned Sox are Zeke Bonura, Rip Radcliff and Sugar Cain.

Avalon, Calif.—Charley Grimm ordered his Chicago Cubs' pitchers to "bear down" as they finally got practice under way after three days of rain. Two more flingers, Bill Lee and Tex Carleton, were due for the second drill today.

Tampa, Fla.—Bill McKechnie thinks he has found the answer to his relief catching problem in Bell Hershberger. After watching the big California lad work out behind the plate, the Cincinnati manager said he would be started in the grapefruit league games.

Biloxi, Miss.—The belated arrival of two Phillies' regulars, George (Shagger) Scharen and Hershel Martin has brought the club's list of players to 35, the largest in years. Jimmy Wilson has two players for every position for the first time since he became manager.

Lake Charles, La.—Connie Mack has high hopes for Dario Lodigiani, second baseman for whom the Philadelphia Athletics gave Oakland five players and cash. After watching Dario belt a few, Mack conceded "he's got a lot of power."

Bradenton, Fla.—Casey Stengel, optimistic after the Boston Bees' first workouts, gave the pitchers a rest today and planned to step into the box himself to give his hurlers their batting practice. "We haven't a single shirker in camp," said Stengel after drill. "If spirit can do the trick, then the Bees will finish in the first division."

A. B. C. NATION'S LONGEST SPORT CLASSIC NOW

At Least 1000 Teams Annually Entered In This Event

Chicago, March 2—(AP)—From its start in Chicago in 1901 when only 41 teams competed, the annual American Bowling Congress tournament has grown steadily into the nation's longest sporting event.

When the first 40 teams took to the 40 gleaming alleys erected in the Chicago Coliseum for the 38th annual A. B. C. meet Thursday night, there still will be 4,917 other 5-man teams waiting to follow in the next 47 days. For the fourth time since the inception of the tournament, Chicago is the scene of the mammoth event, and this time it is the original A. B. C. meet multiplied one hundred times.

Since 1922 the A. B. C. tournament has never failed to have at least a thousand teams in competition. At New York a year ago, when rules were changed to allow booster teams from outside the home state to compete, the entry list jumped past the 4,000 mark. This year, as entries neared 5,000, it was found necessary to extend the duration of the tournament from April 11 to April 18. Even with this extension, it will be impossible to complete the 190,000 games without running them off at a faster clip than ever before.

More than 600 cities were represented on the roster of 25,000 competitors. Chicago, with 1,626 teams, topped them all, with 269 coming from Milwaukee and 151 from Indianapolis. Every section of the United States will be represented. More than 100,000 spectators were expected during the seven weeks of play, to see champions crowned in the team, doubles, singles and all-events divisions.

Certificate Lost; McLeansboro Cage Star Ineligible

McLeansboro, Ill., March 2—(AP)—Coach Carl Nation and McLeansboro high school fans hope John Dial can find his birth certificate. Dial, high point man of McLeansboro's strong cage team, may be ruled ineligible for the Mt. Vernon regional tournament unless he comes up with it, because other records are confusing. High school records say he's 20, but grade school records show 19. His parents say he's 19, but haven't been able to find the certificate.

PAIRINGS FOR STATE TOURNEY ARE COMPLETED

Rockford Tournament Winner To Meet Carbondale Winner

Chicago, March 2—(AP)—Pairings for the annual Illinois state high school basketball tournament finals at Champaign, Ill., March 17, 18 and 19 were announced today by C. W. Whitten, manager of the state high school athletic association.

Sixteen teams, survivors of an original field of more than 850 schools, will compete in the event scheduled to open at 10 A. M. Thursday with winners from the Champaign and Centralia sectionals clashing in the inaugural game. Chicago and East St. Louis sectional champions will meet at 11 A. M., followed by three afternoon and three night games. Play Friday and Saturday will be confined to matinee and evening performances with two contests each session.

At stake will be the championship carried off last year by Joliet, which defeated Decatur in the finals.

Whitten said ticket arrangements and prices would be the same as those last year. Seats for all night sessions will be reserved. Admission at night and Saturday afternoon will be 75 cents and for all other rounds 50 cents. Season tickets, providing for reserved seats at night and special seating sections at day sessions, will sell to adults for \$3 and to students for \$1.50.

The championship pairings:

1-10	M—Champaign winner vs. Centralia winner.
2-11	A M—Chicago winner vs. East St. Louis winner.
3-2	P M—Moline winner vs. Canton winner.
4-3	P. M.—Pontiac winner vs. Maywood winner.
5-4	P. M.—Carbondale winner vs. Rockford winner.
6-7	P. M.—Mattoon winner vs. Decatur winner.
7-8	P. M.—Mt. Carmel winner vs. Pittsfield winner.
8-9	P. M.—Joliet winner vs. Pekin winner.

TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

(By The Associated Press)

New York—
Stocks easy; leaders in slow down-
drift.
Bonds steady; rails resist selling.
Cotton easy; utilities and metals in
supply.
Foreign exchange mixed; sterling
lower.
Cotton strong; foreign and do-
mestic buying.
Sugar lower; trade liquidation.
Coffee quiet; trade buying.
Chicago—
Wheat lower; European demand
slack.
Corn firm; exporters buying fu-
tures.
Cattle 10¢25 higher.
Hogs steady to 10¢ up.

Chicago Grain Table

(By The Associated Press)

Open High Low Close			
WHEAT—			
May	93 1/2	93 1/2	92 1/2
July	88 1/2	88 1/2	87 1/2
Sept.	88 1/2	88 1/2	87 1/2
CORN—			
May	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
July	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
Sept.	61 1/2	62 1/2	61 1/2
OATS—			
May	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
July	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Sept.	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
SOY BEANS—			
May	1 04	1 04	1 04
July	1 03 1/2	1 03 1/2	1 02 1/2
Oct.	1 00 1/2	1 00 1/2	1 00 1/2
RYE—			
May	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2
July	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2
Sept.	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2
LARD—			
Mar.	8 82	8 82	8 82
BELLIES—			
May	11 60	11 60	11 60

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, March 2.—(AP)—Hogs—
12,000 including 3,000 direct; market
mostly steady with Tuesday's average
spots 5 to 10 higher on weights
and 220 lbs up; top 100 lbs good and
choice 100-240 lbs 9.15-9.40; 250-270
lbs 9.00-9.20; 280-360 lbs 8.80-9.10;
good medium weight and heavy
packing 7.60-8.80; smooth
butcher kinds 8.00.
Cattle 3,000; calves 1,200; fed steers
and yearlings 10-15 higher; in-
stances 25 up; market active at ad-
vance; most other killing classes
getting better action at slightly bet-
ter prices; largely steer run; choice to
prime Iowa fed 1240 lbs steers topped
at 10.25; next highest price 9.90;
several loads 9.25-9.50; best yearlings
9.40 early (on) fed heifer 8.25;
choice 10-15 up; cutters and butts
strong; vealers scarce and steady at
Tuesday's decline; mostly 11.00
down.
Sheep 500 including 200 direct;
Tuesday's lamb top 8.75 to packers
and shippers; today's trade mostly
steady on woolled lambs; clipped off-
ferings and choice ewes 15 higher;
good to choice woolled lambs 8.50-9.00;
choice clipped lambs 8.00; top
ewes 4.00.
Official estimated receipts tomor-
row: cattle 5,000; hogs 12,000; sheep
7,000.

Chicago Produce

Chicago, March 2.—(AP)—Potatoes
111 on track 392; total U. S.
shipments 937,000; stock dull, sup-
ply heavy. Demand very slow;
sacked per cwt Idaho russet but-
terbanks U. S. No. 1, 1.35-1.37; Colo-
rad red McClure U. S. No. 1, cotton
sacks 1.45-1.47.
Poultry live 27 trucks, heavy hens
weak; balance steady; hens over 5
lbs 19¢; others prices unchanged.
Butter 734.679, steady; creamery—
extra firsts (90-91 score) 29¢29 1/2;
other prices unchanged, creamery—
Eggs 13.688, firmer, fresh graded,
extra firsts local 17¢; firsts local
16¢; cars 17¢; other prices
unchanged.
Butter futures close: storage
standards March 26¢, Nov 28¢.
Egg futures close, refrigerator
standards: Oct 21¢, storage packed
firsts, Mar 19¢.
Apples 50¢-1.00 per bu; straw-
berries 15¢-16¢ per doz; pineapples
1.50-3.75 per box; lemons 3.00-4.80
per box.
Chicago Cash Grain
Chicago, March 2.—(AP)—Wheat
No. 3 hard 97 1/2, No. 58, 84; No. 4
mixed 90.
Corn No. 3 mixed 57¢, No. 4 54 1/2;
55¢, No. 5 56 1/2; No. 2 yellow 58 1/2;
59¢, No. 39 56 1/2; No. 4 53 1/2;
55¢, No. 5 51 1/2; No. 3 white
57 1/2; No. 4 55 1/2; sample 49 1/2.
Oats No. 1 mixed 33 1/2, No. 3 32;
sample 32 1/2, No. 1 white 34 1/2; No. 2
32 1/2; No. 3 32 1/2; No. 4 32 1/2;
sample 32.
Soy beans No. 2 yellow 1.02 1/2.
Barley sales 72; feed 28 1/2; non-
malting 91 non-
Timothy seed 2.90-3.00.
Red clover 32.00-37.00.
Sweet clover 10.00-37.00.

Wall Street Close

(By The Associated Press)
Alleg. Corp 1 1/2; Al Chem & Mfg
16 1/2; Allied Sts 7 1/2; Allis Ch Mfg
47; Am Can 89; Am Car & Fdy 23 1/2;
Am & For Pow 3 1/2; Am Loco 22;
Am Metal 33 1/2; Am Pow & L 1 1/2;
Am Rad 1 1/2; St. S. 13; Am Roll Mill
19 1/2; Am Smelt & R 50; Am Stl
Fdr 30; A T & T 136 1/2; Am Tob 67;
Am Wat Wks 9 1/2; Anac 32 1/2;
Arm 11 1/2; A T & S F 38; All R
23 1/2; Aviat Corp 3 1/2; B & O 9 1/2;
Barnsdall Oil 15 1/2; Bendix Aviat
12 1/2; Beth Stl 58; Borg Warner 26 1/2;
Cal & Hec 8 1/2; Can Pac 7; Case
80; Caterpillar Tractor 47 1/2; Celanese
Corp 15 1/2; Cerrito De Pac 41 1/2; C
N W 1 1/2; Chrysler Corp 53 1/2; Col
Palm P 9 1/2; Colum G & I 7 1/2;
Coml Credit 36 1/2; Coml Invest 7 1/2;
43; Coml Svc 8 1/2; Coml & South
43; Coml Bldg 64 1/2; Curt Wk 4 1/2;
Deere & Co 24 1/2; Del Lck & West
7 1/2; Douglas Aircr 40 1/2; Du Pont
De N 11 1/2; Eastman Kodak 156 1/2;
Erie R R 3 1/2; Gen Elec 40 1/2; Gen
Foods 31 1/2; Gen Mot 35 1/2; Gillette
Sdr R 10 1/2; Goodrich 17; Goodway
T & R 22; Gt Nor Ry P 21 1/2; Hud-
son Mot 8 1/2; I C 11 1/2; Int Harv
68 1/2; Johns Man 76 1/2; Kenn Cop
38 1/2; Kresge 18; Kroger Groc 15 1/2;
Lib O F 67; Mack Trucks 22;
Marshall Field 8 1/2; Montgomery Ward
36 1/2; Nash Kelv 9 1/2; Nat Bldg 13 1/2;
Nat Cash R 17; Nat Dairy Pr 14 1/2;
N Y Cent R R 18 1/2; Nor Pac 12 1/2;
Owen 11; Gt 56 1/2; Packard Motor
4 1/2; Param Pictures 9 1/2; Penn R R
22 1/2; Philip Morris 93 1/2; Phil
Pet 38 1/2; Pub Svc N J 31 1/2; Pull-
man 32; A C A 6 1/2; R K O 2 1/2;
Rem Rand 15 1/2; Rep Mot Car 2 1/2;
Repub Stl 17 1/2; Rev Ry Tob 8 1/2;
Sears Roebuck 63 1/2; Serval Inc 15;
Shell Oil 15 1/2; Soc Vac 15 1/2;

U. S. Bonds

(By The Associated Press)

Treas 4 1/2 117 1/2
Treas 4 1/2 113 1/2
Treas 3 1/2 103 1/2
HOLC 3 1/2 104 1/2
HOLC 2 1/2 102 1/2

Local Markets

MILK PRICE

The price for milk delivered in
the first half of February is \$1.628
cwt, for 4 per cent milk delivered
and accepted.

CHICAGO NET TRACK BIDS

No. 2 hard wheat 10 days 97 1/2
No. 2 yellow hard wheat 96 1/2
No. 2 red wheat 94 1/2
No. 3 white corn 20 days 54 1/2
No. 4 yellow corn 54 1/2
No. 3 white corn 54 1/2
No. 4 white corn 54 1/2
No. 2 white oats 20 days 31 1/2
No. 3 white oats 30 1/2
No. 2 rye 20 days 75 1/2

THIRD KIDNAP

NOTE DEMANDS

HUGE RANSOM

Also Plea In Handwriting

Of Young Abducted

Boy

New Rochelle, N. Y., March 2.—

(AP)—A third kidnap note stipu-

lating the payment of \$60,000 ran-

som and accompanied by a plead-

ing note in the handwriting of ab-

ducted 12 year old Peter Levine

was disclosed here today as inves-

tigators hung on the father's de-

cision to make another radio ap-

peal to the abductors.

The note was found Monday, it

was learned, in a vacant lot next

to the Bethel synagogue of Rabbi

Abraham Novak, after a myster-

ious telephone call directed him to

the spot.

It demanded that the father,

Murry Levine, a New York lawyer,

make up a package of bank notes

in \$10, \$20, \$50 and \$100 denomi-

nations and drop the package at

the base of a street light pole in

East 172nd street, the Bronx, New

York City.

Boy Scrawled Plea

On the back, in handwriting

identified as Peter's was scrawled

the plea:

"Dear Dad: Please give these

men the money. I have a bad cold,

Peter."

It was learned that after Rabbi

Novak was called, he summoned

police and detectives and they

went to the vacant lot but were

unable to find the note under a tin

can, as directed.

It was reported that as they

went to give up the search

Miss Evelyn Arnik, Rabbi Novak's

secretary, poked about and found

the note, typed in the same style

as two previous notes—all capital

letters such as are found on toy

typewriters.

The note also told Levine just

how many bills of each denomina-

tion to include in the bundle.

Rabbi Surprised

At the same time, she remarked such

matters should be kept secret.

Levine is not a member of Ra-
bi Novak's congregation and the
two men were not acquainted. The
rabbi expressed surprise that he
had been drawn into the case.The note also demanded that po-
lice and federal agents be with-
drawn from the case.Philip S. Thiden, director of pub-
lic safety, said local police wereremaining out of the case until the
father had full opportunity to

carry out his wish to deal alone

with "those who may be holding
my boy.""The period of grace won't last
forever," Thiden added. "I can't say
how long it will be before the po-
lice become active."

Actress Who Got

\$50,000 Without

Work Starts Film

Hollywood, March 2.—(AP)—

After collecting more than \$50,000

salary without so much as a day's

work, Danielle Darrieux of France

will start her first Hollywood pic-
ture next week, Universal Studio
said today.

Search for a suitable leading man

and a story held up production for
several months. Now Douglas Fair-
banks, Jr., has been signed to co-
star with her in a comedy ro-
mance, "The Rage of Paris."

Chain Letters In

Circulation Again;

Are Ruled Illegal

Denver, March 2.—(AP)—Those

dime letters have turned up again

—right in the Denver police de-
partment.

Chief August Hanebuth reported

today they had appeared in sev-
eral stations. He warned that of-
ficers found circulating themwould be disciplined. The postof-
fice department has ruled the let-
ters violate lottery laws.

Personals

Mrs. Kathryn Beard returned
from Chicago yesterday after
spending a few days in that city.
Vada Livingston of Freeport was
a Dixon visitor Tuesday.

—Good Country Butter tomor-
row at Dixon Grocery & Market,
Phone 21. 5111

A. Henry Beckingham has
moved his shoe repair shop from
79 Galena avenue to 315 W. First
street and is now nicely located.

W. W. Teschendorf has closed
his pork market for this season.

—Pop Corn that pops 3 lbs. 25c.
Dixon Grocery & Market, Phone 21.
5111

Earl McDermott of Sterling
transacted business in town yester-
day.

Edward Calhoun of Eldena was a
visitor here yesterday afternoon.

K. W. Good of Franklin Grove
motored to Dixon yesterday after-
noon to shop.

—Large shipment of Bushel Jon-
athan & Rome Beauty Apples, 10
lbs. 50c; bu. \$1.69 and \$1.17. Select
fruit. Dixon Grocery & Market,
Phone 21. 5111

J. D. Conrad of Sterling was a
visitor here Tuesday on business.

George W. Thier of West Brook-
lyn motored to Dixon Tuesday.

Roy M. Ebersole of Sterling shop-
ped in Dixon Tuesday.

Amos Eberly of Nelson was a vi-
sitor in Dixon Tuesday.

Attorney Gerald Fearer of Ore-
gon transacted business in Dixon
this morning.

Harvey O. Rissitter of Lee was a
business caller in Dixon today.

M. M. Menner of the state high-
way department was in Champaign
today on business.

H. E. Puffer of Rockford was in
Dixon this morning on business.

Attorney Robert Warner, Gilbert
Finch and Circuit Clerk E. S. Rose-
crans and son Donald went to Chi-
cago this afternoon to attend the
Golden Gloves tournament finals.

William Sandrock of Ashton was
a Dixon business caller this morn-
ing.

Louis Grampp transacted busi-
ness in Sublette yesterday after-
noon.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Ames of
Evansville, Wis., were guests of Mr.
and Mrs. E. M. Goodsell Tuesday.

Dr. Ames and Mrs. Goodsell are
brother and sister.

William H. Jacobs of Sterling
was a visitor here yesterday.

William E. Bert of Morrison
shopped in Dixon yesterday after-
noon.

Harold T. Cross of Ashton mo-
tored to Dixon Tuesday to trade.

John A. Schmidt of Amboy mo-
tored to town yesterday on busi-
ness.

James J. McBride of Amboy was
a visitor in here yesterday after-
noon.

Ralph D. Schumacher of Amboy
motored to Dixon yesterday after-
noon.

George E. Brooks of Harmon was
a visitor in town yesterday.

Paul H. Smith of Paw Paw shop-
ped here yesterday.

ALL TRAFFIC

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collapsed at Sterling without any
warning. That structure was con-
sidered safe and fortunately no one
was on it at the time. The Ga-
lena avenue bridge is known to be
in an unsafe condition and the re-
ports of the state engineers have
shown that it has been increasing-
ly weakened by the settling of the
north pier. In the interest of safe-
ty of our citizens, and at the sug-
gestion of many whom I have to-
day consulted, I have decided to
permanently close the bridge to all
traffic."

Mayor Slothower met with
Charles Richards of the state high-
way department engineering staff
this afternoon at the north ap-
proach to the bridge, where an in-
spection of damage was made. Sev-
eral of the tie rods at the top of
the north span were found to have
pulled loose and this condition was
also affecting the second span. The
floor of the bridge, the engineers
stated, had settled two inches since
Monday afternoon when the last
survey was made, and the mortar
between the heavy stones which
form the pier was chipping out.

The state engineers concurred in
Mayor Slothower's action in closing
the bridge at this time as a
safety precaution.

To Switch Service
The I. N. U. Co.'s transmission
lines on top of the steel spans were
still in use, but arrangements have
been completed to switch the ser-
vice to lines crossing the river at
the dam and thus prevent an in-
terruption of service to the north
side. In the event of a collapse
of the bridge arrangements have
also been completed to shut off

NEW ELEMENT OF
MYSTERY ENTERS
SLAYING OF BRIDEPolice Report They Were
Present At Scene Of
Shooting

Delavan, Ill., March 2.—(AP)—A
new element of mystery entered the
fatal shooting of a beautiful bride
of five weeks today when E. W.
Ringo, a merchant policeman, said
he and the village's night patrol-
man were present at the scene of
the slaying in response to a tele-
phone summons.

Ringo said he and Policeman R.
T. Burbridge were told of the pres-
ence of snipers at the home of
Banker Willis Crabb, where Mrs.
Betty Crabb, his daughter-in-law,
was shot to death early yesterday.

The officers were standing in the
yard of the palatial home when
they heard a shot, Ringo said. He
stated the elder Crabb was talking
from a window to Burbridge when
the report was heard and both of-
ficers rushed into the house to find
the 19-year-old bride dead of a
bullet wound in the chest.

Coroner Nelson Wright, who has
not set a date for the inquest, said
the bullet apparently was fired
from an old-style 45 calibre revo-
lver he said was on the bedroom
floor besides the body.

Report "Window Peepers"
Ringo said "window peepers" had
been reported at the Crabb home
several times recently. He added
there was no sign of a prowler when
he and Burbridge arrived at the
scene yesterday.

The young woman married James
Crabb, 24, who was employed as a
bookkeeper in his father's bank.
Last January 22 after a romance
that blossomed on the University of
Illinois campus, The elder Crabb is
president of the Tazewell County
National bank.

Earlier the elder Crabb had told
Sheriff Ralph Goar he was in bed
when his son and daughter-in-law
arrived home from a late party held
in their honor at the home of
friends. It was not long after they
went to their room, he said, that he
heard a shot. A moment later,
Crabb asserted, his son rushed into
and cried: "Betty shot herself."

Young Crabb told authorities he
was in the bathroom getting his
wife some aspirin when he heard a
shot.

He said he had kept the pistol
loaded in his bedroom since 1931
when robbers forced his father to
go to the bank at night and let
them steal \$6,300.

Post Mortem Held
A post mortem examination, Dr.
E. C. Pughman said, disclosed slight
powder burns above the bullet
wound.

Meanwhile, relatives of the girl,
who had been married twice, were
unable to advance any reason for
her death.

Mrs. Reau Kemp, a cousin of the
elder Crabb and at whose home the
party was held, said "when Betty
left she was in good spirits."

The bride's father, Glenn Collin-
son, an officer of the Champaign
News-Gazette, Inc., and manager
of the newspaper's radio station,
said his daughter appeared quite
happy since her marriage.

DENIES CHARGES

Ottawa, Ill., March 2.—(AP)—

Roy Scroggins, 26, farm tenant,
was released on bonds today await-
ing action of the grand jury after
a coroner's jury recommended he
be held in the hit run automobile
death of Andrew Jacobson Monday
night. Scroggins denied driving the
car which killed Jacobson.

Brakes are still subject to human
manipulation, and should not be
made responsible for the short-
comings of the driver.

the gas service main underneath
the floor of the Galena avenue
bridge and supply north side cus-
tomers from the main crossing the
river beneath the Peoria avenue
bridge.

The Dixon Home Telephone com-
pany's cable system which is sup-
ported on the west side of the
Galena bridge, was in danger in
the event that the north span
should collapse and announcement
from the company's offices this
afternoon was to the effect that
a temporary cable system was to
be constructed across the Peoria
avenue bridge at once.

Engineers and city officials fear
that March winds will have a strong
influence in bringing about the
collapse of the north span, and
some expressed

Today's News From Neighboring Communities

Franklin Grove Happenings

MISS GRACE PEARL, CORRESPONDENT

The Hausen Community club held their meeting Friday night at the school house. Mrs. Souders was the hostess. The evening was spent in playing games and social visiting. Owing to so many being sick there was no program.

Attorney and Mrs. Lloyd Painter and son Jack of Streator were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miller and family.

Mrs. Rebecca Colwell, Misses Eunice and Lucy Gilbert motored to Compton Sunday where they enjoyed dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miller and son Clifford from north of town, Mr. and Mrs. George Miller and daughter from south of town spent Sunday in the home of the men's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Weigel and Miss Anna Curley of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, were Thursday and Friday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pyle.

Rev. and Mrs. Studebaker, Rev. and Mrs. O. D. Buck, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Buck attended the funeral of Mrs. Letherman at Lanark Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Letherman was killed in an automobile accident near Rochelle Thursday. She was the wife of Rev. Letherman, pastor of the Church of the Brethren at Lanark. She was well known in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Miller entertained for dinner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Blaine and daughters Misses Shirley and Roberta, and Leroy Schinberger of Deerfield, O. O. Miller, Mrs. Sadie Blaine, William Naylor and Howard Byer.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Myers who have been living on the Miss Nell Williams farm at Daysville have moved to the Lowden farm vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Pyse, who have moved to the C. W. Lahman farm.

The Teal's Corner Community club held their monthly meeting Friday evening at the school house. Much real fun was had over some of the costumes, it being a hard times party. The attendance was unusually large as it was a double feature, a farewell party at this time for Mr. and Mrs. Elmhans who have moved to a farm near West Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Humphrey and family have moved to the property known as the Reed property on Lincoln highway, from the late Mrs. Emma Crawford property now owned by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard.

Miss Betty Wasson of Amboy spent the week end in the home of her mother, Mrs. Blanche Wasson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brucker joined with a group of friends and enjoyed dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Broughton in Dixon, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fair and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Hawbecker motored to Chicago Sunday, where they enjoyed the day with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Claire Colwell and son Donnie motored to Elgin Sunday where they were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Banker.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Trowbridge were invited guests of the 500 club north of town which met Friday evening at the Adam Grim home.

Randal Myers came out from Chicago and spent the week end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Myers.

Otto Boyenga, who has been employed at the Wilbur Breuninger home for the past two years has resigned his position and will drive an oil truck in Dixon. Otto has many friends here who will wish him success.

Ladies' Night will be observed Friday in the Presbyterian church. Supper will be served at 6:30. All the men and friends of the church are invited. Meat, potatoes and coffee will be furnished. The committee having charge of the evening is Mrs. William Herbst, Mrs. William Black, Mrs. William Crawford, Mrs. Morton Dockery and Mrs. Louis Grafton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blank entertained their group of the Friendship Circle with dinner Sunday. The group consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Snyder and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Blocher and daughter Miss Ila, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy J. Miller and daughters, Mrs. Letha Blocher and Nettie Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton Dockery enjoyed their Sunday dinner with their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hopkins at Polo.

World's Day of Prayer will be observed Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Presbyterian church. All the churches of the town are co-operating. Everyone is invited to attend.

The Priscilla club will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. R. C. Gross.

The Contract Bridge club was entertained Friday night by Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Breuninger at their lovely country home. Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Duncan were invited guests. At bridge will Crawford won men's high, Mrs. James Conlon ladies' high and Mrs. Cecil Cravens honor.

During the evening delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pyle and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bettendorf and daughter Miss Betty Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Dockery, Mr. and Mrs. Will Black and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Miller and daughter Miss Mary Jean, Elmer Miller, Mrs. A. W. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Belster, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wagner, enjoyed a scramble supper and 500 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Crawford Saturday night. At 500, Harold Belster won men's high, Mrs. Glen Wagner ladies' high and Mrs. Will Black the all out.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Heaton and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Maronde and family of Dixon were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Reid.

W. W. Sheap and daughters, Misses Ethel and Harriet, entertained for dinner Sunday, Dr. and Mrs. Walter Moore, Mr. and Mrs. LaForrest Meredith.

Robert Wilson was taken to the Dixon hospital Sunday afternoon for observation and possibly an operation.

Mrs. Addie Ross and Al Derr of Shaw Station were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. John Myers and son Randall were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Edith Willard at Lighthouse.

Mrs. Bessie Schaefer who has been in the Dixon hospital for some time was brought to the home of Mrs. Lester Lott.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stults and two children of Prophetstown spent Friday in the home of his sister, Mrs. William Herbst and family.

Miss Lyleford enjoyed the week end with her parents at Port Byron.

Miss Frances Clifford spent the week end with friends in DeKalb. Mr. and Mrs. John Kelley of South Dixon were Saturday guests in the home of Mrs. Ruth Kelley and attended the funeral of Mrs. Jennie Utz.

Townsend Club News
The newly-organized Townsend club is getting into its stride. Three meetings, each with a speaker, have been held. The speakers, Prof. Neal Means, of the Business Research Department; Prof. Buf-fam, a teacher of the Freeport schools; and Rev. T. E. Stevens, field worker for the state of Iowa. Each brought to the club a special message concerning the ideals and machinery of the organization.

Thursday evening, Feb. 24, a business meeting of the members was held. At this meeting, plans were discussed for local activities. Fifty-seven members were reported, with more in prospect. The newly elected officers are as follows: president, W. L. Riegle; vice president, Ralph Canode; secretary, Mrs. M. M. Cluts; treasurer, Samuel Hebst.

Plans were made for a meeting to be held on Saturday evening of this week, March 5, in the Kersten gymnasium. The hour is 7:30. Everybody is urged to come and hear the Townsend Plan discussed. The committee has secured as a speaker, Miss Eloise Stevenson of Rockford, who will talk on the question, "What Will the Townsend Plan Do for the Young People?"

Miss Stevenson is a new speaker, a high school student who has become enthused with the ideal embodied in the plan, and is doing her bit to enlist the younger people in its support. She has spoken in several communities in northern Illinois, and those who have heard her say that she is a very interesting speaker. Special music is being prepared by the program committee: Mrs. M. M. Cluts, Mrs. Charles Ross, and Ralph Canode. Following the program, a social hour will be enjoyed, with doughnuts and coffee served by the social committee and their helpers. The social committee are Mrs. Louis Graves, Mrs. Arthur Roop and Miss Eunice Miller.

A very special invitation is extended to the younger people of the community, to attend this meeting and hear youth's side of the Townsend National Recovery Plan. We are just taking it for granted that the older folks will be there, for whatever benefits our young people will also be of interest to their parents and friends.

At present the plan of the local club is largely one of education and information concerning the provisions of the Townsend National Recovery Plan, commonly known as the "Townsend Plan." There are many things included in the plan which are not generally understood by the public, simply because the bill, known as H.R. 4193, has not been read and studied. After a thorough study within the club, we hope to bring it before our public, for we feel that only by being informed correctly, can one decide as to its merit.

Obituary—Mrs. Jennie Utz
Mrs. Jennie Wagner Utz was born in the state of Maryland, March 9, 1858 and departed this life at her home here February 24, 1938 at the age of 79 years, 11 months and 15 days.

On September 7, 1874 in Carroll county, Maryland, she was united in marriage to Archibald Utz. In 1890 they moved to Lee county, Illinois where they resided the remainder of their lives. Her husband preceded her in death in April, 1932. One son Charles, preceded his parents in death in 1916.

Mrs. Utz is survived by one son, Daniel J. of Dixon; Mrs. Peter Kelley of Ashton, Mrs. Frank Krug of Dixon, by ten grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren; three brothers, Frank of this place, Wesley Wagner of Ashton, and Jacob Wagner of Amboy, many other relatives and a score of friends.

She with her husband united with the Church of the Brethren in Maryland in 1886 and lived a faithful, consistent Christian life. She has been in declining health for several years, but endured her suffering with patience and Christian fortitude, receiving much comfort and encouragement from the precious promises of God's Word. She was a loving and devoted wife and mother, and a kind, helpful neighbor and friend.

The suffering of life is over. Labor and sorrows cease; And life's long warfare closed at last.

Her soul is found in peace; Soldier of Christ, well done; Praise be thy new employ. And while eternal ages run, Rest in thy Savior's joy.

Funeral services were conducted at the Church of the Brethren on Saturday afternoon by Rev. O. D. Buck, assisted by Rev. William E. Thompson of Dixon, Rev. and Mrs. Paul Studebaker rendered two beautiful and impressive selections. The casket bearers were: Charles Schaefer, Charles Krug, William Schaefer, William Dickey, Ed Schaefer and Harry Edgington.

Interment was in the Oakwood cemetery in Dixon.

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PAW PAW NEWS
By Mrs. Lloyd Coleman
Paw Paw—Vernon Merriman returned from a visit in Chicago on Thursday, after a stay of several days.

The invitation committee of the M. E. church met on Friday afternoon to prepare the list of old residents, and past pastors of the church, to whom invitations for the homecoming banquet and re-dedication services are to be sent. The date for the services are March 12 and 13.

Dr. Ezra Goble of Earlville, aged 87 years, was found dead in his bed on Feb. 23. Dr. Goble was born on October 6, 1850 about one-half mile south of the South Paw Paw mill. Burial was on Friday in the South Paw Paw cemetery.

A meeting was held in Paw Paw on Friday evening to discuss the possibility of building a cold storage plant in this community. Such a proposition would be of great importance to the town of Paw Paw. Faye Snow was a business caller in Dixon on last week Monday.

Union Lenten Services
The three Protestant churches of Paw Paw are carrying on during the Lenten period a series of union services which should prove of great value to the religious life of the community. The services are to be held on each Wednesday evening, beginning tonight and continuing up to Holy Week. The schedule of preaching places and preachers is as follows:

March 2 in the Baptist church, Rev. Lloyd O. Coleman preaching. March 9 in the Presbyterian church, Rev. Herman Meyer preaching.

March 16 in the Methodist church, Rev. F. F. Fitch preaching. March 23 in the Baptist church, Rev. Lloyd O. Coleman preaching.

March 30 in the Presbyterian church, Rev. Herman Meyer preaching. April 6 in the Methodist church, Rev. Fitch preaching.

April 13 to be announced. The public is invited to attend these services which will be held for one hour, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. There will be good music, intelligent preaching and inspiring fellowship. Every member of a Christian church should seek the opportunity these services offer in preparing his spiritual life for the rich offering of the Easter season.

World Day of Prayer
The World Day of Prayer service, sponsored by the Women's Missionary groups of the three churches of Paw Paw, in conjunction with the World Wide observance, will devote Friday, March 4 to a day of study and devotion. The meetings will be held in the Triple S. class room of the Methodist church, and every woman is cordially invited to attend this important and significant meeting. The meeting will begin at 2 P. M.

Charles Buchanan will soon become a resident of Paw Paw as he has rented the residence owned by Mrs. Ollie Shafte.

Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Coleman and

at the nine o'clock mass on Sunday, March 6. Rev. Brian Maheedy, Passionist Father, will be in charge of the week's services. Mass will be celebrated at seven o'clock each morning and short instructions will be given by the missionary. Evening services at 7:30 will consist of the Rosary, a short instruction, a missionary sermon and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. The solemn closing of the mission will be on Sunday evening, March 13, at 7:30. The devotions are open to the public and all are invited to attend. During the week religious articles may be purchased in the church basement.

WHO AND WHERE?
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Ben Kerchner spent several days last week in Princeton visiting his daughter, Mrs. Will Ross and also to see that new great grandson Jerry Ross Hocketter.

J. D. Milliken, a member of Lee-Bureau Dairy Herd Improvement association carried all honors for the state in butter fat. His dairy herd all other dairy herds in the state in milk production for January with a production of 55.8 pounds of butter fat to a cow. Mr. Milliken lives near Princeton.

Walnut News of Today

Telegraph Representative Gathers Items of Interest in Hustling Bureau County Town

By MRS. KIZZIE RIN

Telephone 1591

Norma Irene Albus Weds Ivan Kreiger

On Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock Norma Irene Albus and Ivan Kreiger, both of Ohio, were united in marriage by Rev. E. S. Nicholson, pastor of the Lutheran church, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Minkler. The single ring ceremony was used in the presence of the immediate relatives. The bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Alchia Minkler and the groom by his brother, Carlo Kreiger.

The bride wore a gown of rose beige crepe with brown accessories and carried a bouquet of white carnations and pink sweet peas. The bride is the daughter of Elmer Albus of Rock Falls and the groom is the son of Frank Kreiger of Ohio.

Both attended Ohio high school. Mrs. Kreiger has been employed in Nan's Beauty Shoppe in Walnut.

A delicious dinner was served at the Minkler home with two aunts of the groom, Mrs. Chris Jensen of Princeton and Mrs. Will Ogden of Ohio, doing the catering. Four friends of the bride, Gladys Ayres, Bernice Albrecht, Marilyn Kropp and Grace Kreiger, served.

Guests were Frank Kreiger and daughter Alice, Marilyn Kropp, Grace Kreiger, Mr. and Mrs. Gall, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Christensen of Walnut, Mr. and Mrs. Virden Albus of Rock Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Minkler of Oak Lawn, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. Kreiger will reside with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Minkler for the present.

Neighbory Club Enjoys Meeting

The Neighbory club held its February meeting at the home of Mrs. Anna Gallentine with Mrs. Nora Hoffman as assisting hostess. The meeting opened with the song, "America, the Beautiful." Members answered roll call with ideas on economy. Mrs. Edna Hogue, a new member, was welcomed to the club's membership. The entertainment for the afternoon was furnished by Mrs. Alice Grammer and her daughter. A delicious luncheon was served. Guests were Mrs. Elmer Hoge and Miss Edna Hopkins.

Church Will Open A Week's Mission

A week's mission will open at St. John's Catholic church in Walnut on Friday afternoon. Later in the evening they attended the Ladies Aid church supper served in the Compton church.

The Boy Scouts of Paw Paw troop No. 70 took a hike north of town on Saturday. The day was nearly perfect for hiking, and several of the boys took their fire building tests for second class.

Mrs. Etta Thomas spent the week end in Paw Paw visiting friends. Keith Reynolds has finished his work in Illinois and is spending a time with his parents.

Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Coleman and son Neil were in Rochelle last Saturday evening. Frank Case was visiting friends and relatives in Paw Paw over the week end. Mr. Case lives in DeKalb.

Methodist Church Notes
Compton. Sunday school at 9 A. M. Morning worship at 9:45 A. M. Subject, "Jesus Christ, the Spiritual Dynamic of Life."

Epworth League on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Paw Paw Sunday school at 10 A. M. Morning worship at 11:15 A. M. Subject, "Jesus Christ, the Spiritual Dynamic of Life."

Epworth League on Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock. The pastor will preach a series of Lenten sermons throughout the period leading up to Easter as follows:

March 6 "Jesus Christ, the Spiritual Dynamic of Life." March 13, "The Dispensation of the Holy Spirit." March 20, "The Church of the Spirit."

March 27, "The Manifestation of the Spirit." April 3, "The Power of the Holy Spirit." April 10, (Palm Sunday) "The Entrance of the Spirit Into Life."

April 17, (Easter) "The Life of the Spirit." These sermons are interpretations of the various aspects of the Holy Spirit applied to the needs of modern life. A strong personal and practical application will be placed upon each Sunday's presentation.

The Builder's class will meet at the parsonage Thursday afternoon, March 3.

The homecoming banquet will be held on Saturday evening, March 5. The re-dedication services will be held on Sunday morning and afternoon March 13.

A class of young people will be received into the membership of the church on Sunday, March 13, at the dedication service. Those whom the pastor has not yet seen who wish to join with this class may do so by

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Mrs. Keith Boyle entertained the Sewing club last Thursday afternoon. The time was spent in sewing after which a dainty lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bearrows of Rochelle are visiting at the home of Mrs. Mary Mittan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Schreck of Mendota visited at the George Schreck home Friday.

Clifford Goble, Mrs. Viola Rosette and sons Kenneth and Leonard, attended the funeral of Dr. Goble in Earlville last week.

Ray Willard and daughter Hazel and Regina Worsley were in Ottawa Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kelly and Mrs. Mabel Worsley visited at the A. J. Kidd home in Triumph.

William Nickel and Miss Regina Worsley visited in Milwaukee last week.

Louis Miller and Rev. Lloyd Coleman attended the Men's club meeting of the Compton Methodist church Monday evening.

Friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Poltsch honored them with a miscellaneous shower at the community club rooms last Thursday evening with over a hundred in attendance. The young people received many lovely and useful gifts. Refreshments were served.

OBITUARY
STELLA M. CASE
Stella M. Case, daughter of Francis M. and Cynthia Clark Case, was born January 9, 1869, four miles southeast of Paw Paw on a farm purchased from the United States government by her grandfather, Chaney Case, in 1845. This was her home until with her parents and brother, Harry, she moved to Paw Paw Jan. 8, 1908.

At the age of fourteen she united with the Baptist church, later with the other members of the family transferred her membership to the Methodist church.

From its organization in the early 80's until it surrendered its charter after the death of the last resident Civil War veteran, in 1926, she was an active member of the Woman's Relief Corps, holding in turn most of the offices. She was also a member of the D. A. R., the Eastern Star, and Rebekah Lodge.

Saturday, February 19, 1938, she fell on the ice, sustaining a broken hip and other injuries to which she succumbed at 1 A. M., February 28, in the Waterman hospital.

She is survived by her brothers, Harry and Charles, and their wives, of Paw Paw. Also several cousins. Funeral services were held in the Torman & Hill funeral parlors the Rev. Lloyd O. Coleman officiating, and interment was made in the Wyoming cemetery, Tuesday afternoon, March 1, at 2 P. M.

Harley Thomas was in Dixon on business last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Knox of

Clara Nelson, Mrs. Louise Miller and Mrs. Lloyd Coleman.

The Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Josephine Pratt.

Mrs. Glen Berry is confined to her home with illness.

Mrs. Harry Case was a business visitor in Dixon Monday.

The play, "June Time," presented by the Builder's class on Tuesday evening was well played before an appreciative audience. The cast of characters were as follows:

Constance Wilbur... Hazel Willard Florette... Frances Martin Mabel Brown... Gladys Barton Oliver Cromwell Brown...

Dr. Curtis Brown Alfred Drummond Elouise Mitchell... Ruth Poltsch Dr. Jeremiah Rust, Carl Rosenkrans Specialty numbers were played between the acts.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Drummond plan to spend the week end with Mr. Drummond's parents in Chicago.

Miss Helen McEwen also plans to spend the coming week end with her parents in Highland Park, Ill.

Mrs. Mary Mittan is confined to her home by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Rosenkrans took Mrs. Ida Rosette to her home in DeKalb Sunday.

Mrs. Floyd Davis of Triumph entered Harris hospital in Mendota for treatment for sinus trouble. Mrs. Davis is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Mabel Worsley of this place.

Miss Joyce Simpson is confined to her home with whooping cough.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kelly and Mrs. Mabel Worsley were in Dixon on business Monday.

Mrs. Ida Rosette came from Earlville and spent several days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Dale Rosenkrans.

Dale Rosenkrans and Mrs. Byron Rosenkrans were business callers in Shabbona Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wheeler and Mrs. Nellie Adrian of Downers Grove were in Paw Paw last Sunday.

Discoverer of X-Ray

HORIZONTAL

1,7 The man who discovered the X-ray.

13 Vegetable.

14 Striped fabric.

16 Substantive pronoun.

17 Drunkard.

18 Tiny particles.

20 Aye.

21 Tumor.

22 Gratified.

23 Gibbon.

24 Neuter pronoun.

27 Form of "be."

28 Sun god.

30 You.

31 Epoch.

32 Rubber tree.

34 Marked with spots.

35 Juniper.

36 Night before.

37 Driving command.

38 Right.

40 Finale.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

12 Compass point.

15 Feather scarf.

18 Beer.

19 Southeast.

21 He was a Nobel Prize (pl.).

22 Feigns.

23 Pharmacist.

25 Discloses.

27 American aloes.

29 Bitter herb.

31 Dined.

33 Before.

39 To instruct.

41 Doctor.

VERTICAL

42 Exists.

43 Plural.

44 To harden.

46 Gowns.

50 Aeriform fuel.

51 God of war.

53 Stream.

54 Threefold.

57 Double bass.

59 To drive.

61 He specialized in —.

62 He was — by birth.

1 Grief.

2 Insertion.

3 King of beasts.

4 Opposite of cold.

5 Half an em.

6 Husband or wife.

7 Battering machines.

8 Northwest.

9 Your.

10 Redeemer.

11 Theme.

43 Bear-like animal.

45 Trunk drawer.

47 Epochs.

48 Sister.

49 Cry for help at sea.

50 Cruel.

52 Being.

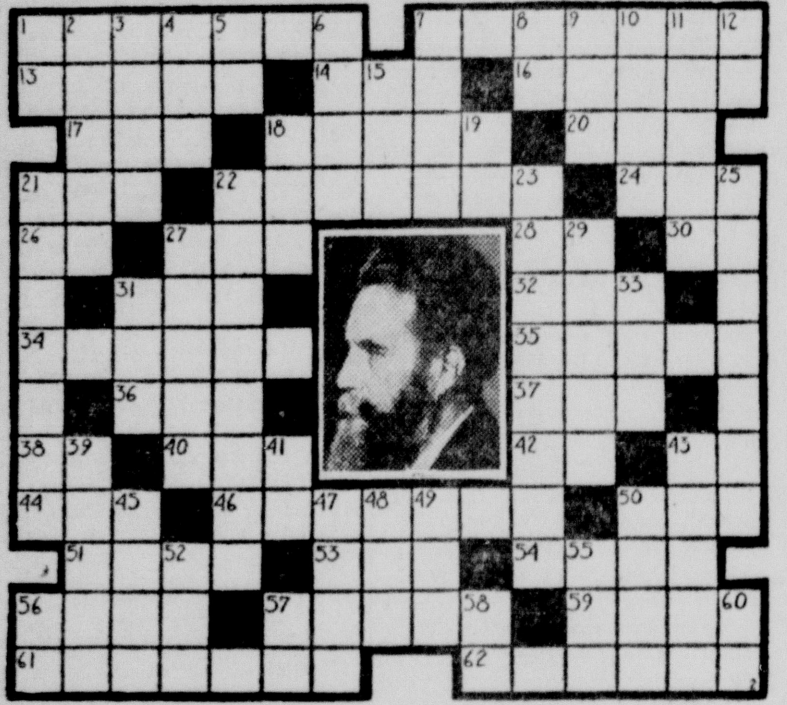
53 To sin.

56 Spain.

57 Before Christ.

58 King of Bashan.

60 Type measure.



SIDE GLANCES

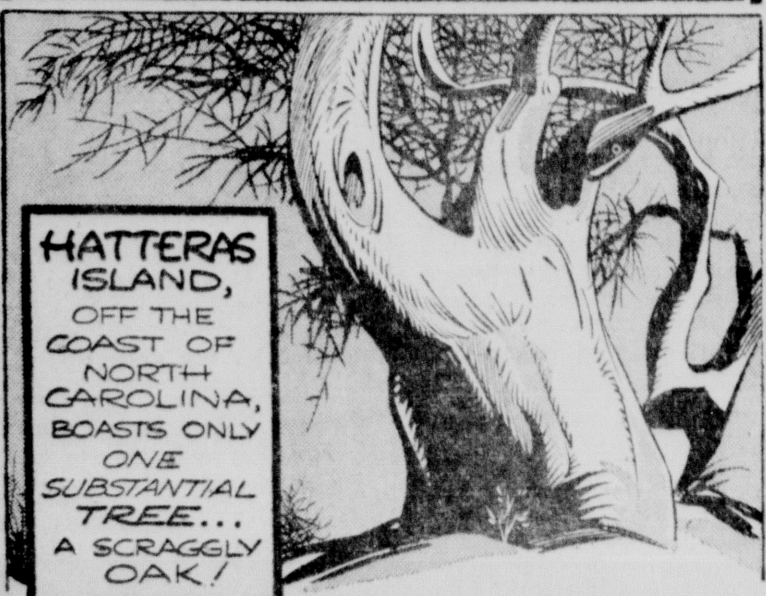
By George Clark



"Good morning, Mr. Johnson. How are Dorothy, Marvin, Mary Sue, Teddy, Lois, Buford, Jr., and Mrs. J. this morning?"

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



HATTERAS ISLAND,
OFF THE
COAST OF
NORTH
CAROLINA,
BOASTS ONLY
ONE
SUBSTANTIAL
TREE...
A SCRAGGLY
OAK!

A PINT
OF WATER AND A PINT
OF GRAIN ALCOHOL DO
NOT MEASURE ONE QUART
WHEN ADDED TOGETHER.

THE
HIGH MARK
FOR MAJOR LEAGUE
BASEBALL
ATTENDANCE
WAS THE YEAR 1930,
WHEN
10,186,000 PERSONS
PAID ADMISSION.

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NEXT: Bees that pull each other's hair.

LIL ABNER



BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



ALLEY OOP



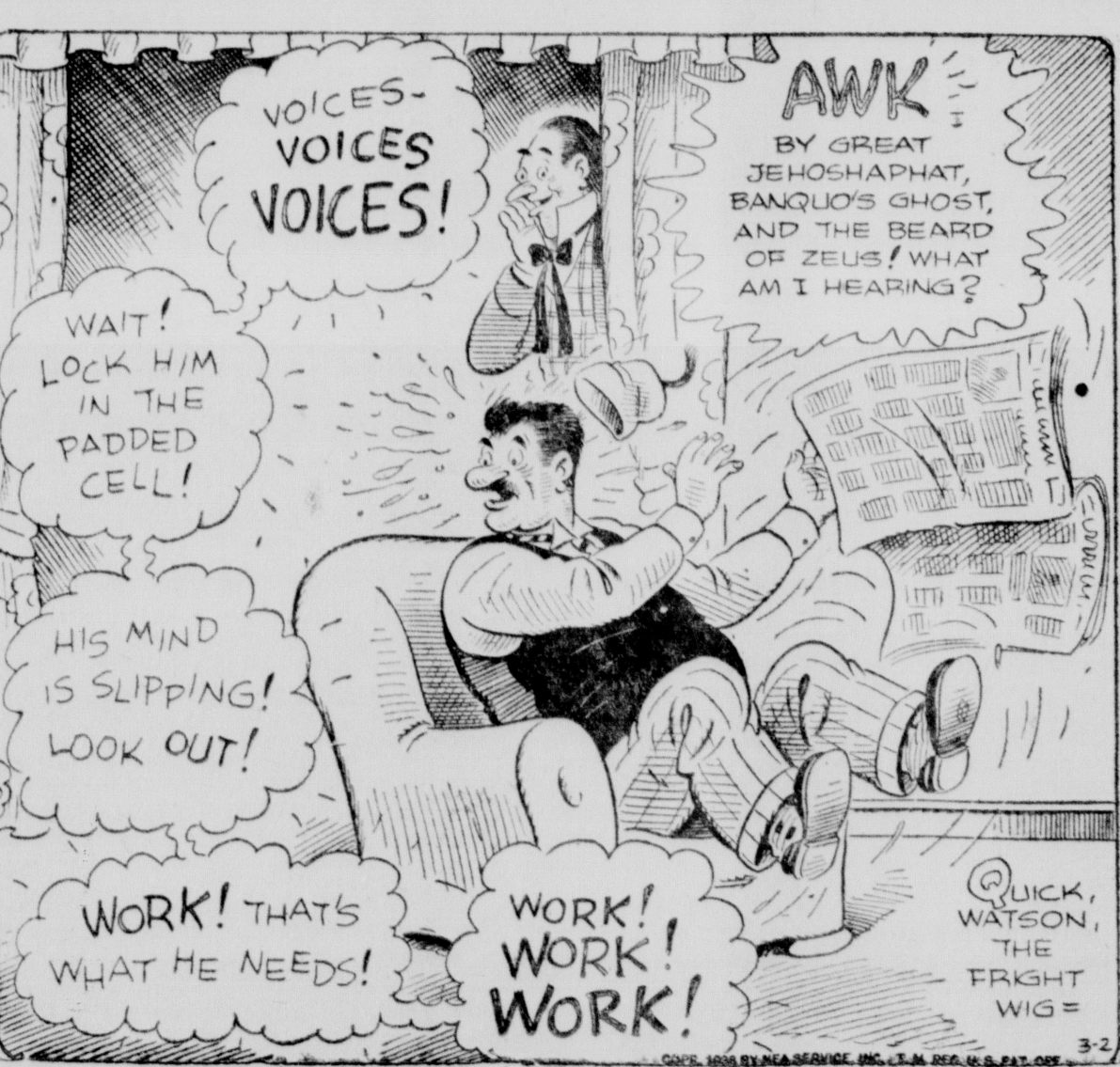
FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



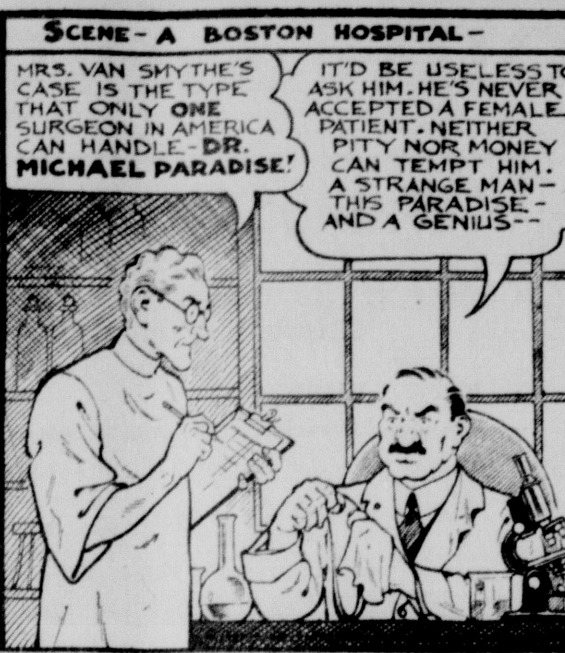
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OUR BOARDING HOUSE with Major Hoople



Paradise Lost



And He Would, Too



Put Up or Shut Up



Did She Say Speechless?



The Captain's Choice



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MEANWHILE: THE HOME OF DR. PARADISE.



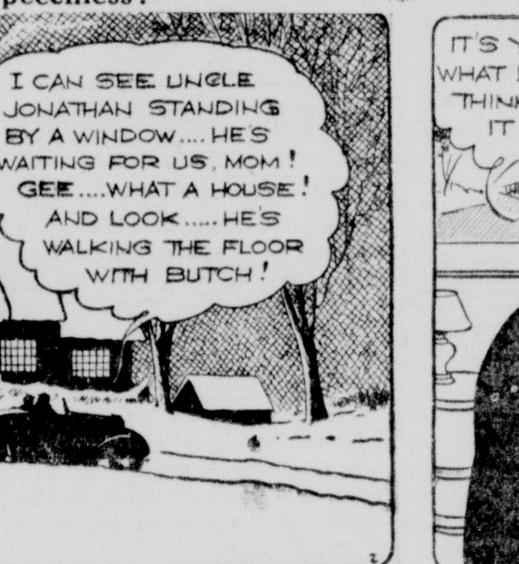
IF ONLY THERE



BUT THERE'S ONE THING I'M SURE OF



WELL, THAT OUGHTA BE



COURSE I DON'T MIND. ONLY THING I



LISTEN, MAC, IT'S THIS WAY:



HAW! HAW! HE



BY AL CAPP



By MARTIN



By HAMLIN



By BLOSSER



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A bill prohibiting caps that stick
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"Joe's havin' a little trouble with th' hiccup."

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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

State of Illinois, Lee County, ss.
Estate of Michael Croughan, De-
ceased.

Public notice is hereby given that
the undersigned, administrator of
the estate of Michael Croughan,
deceased, will attend before the
County Court of Lee County, at the
court house in Dixon, on the 21st
day of March, 1938, for the pur-
pose of making a final settlement
of said estate, at which time and
place I will ask for an order of
distribution, and will also ask to be
discharged. All persons interested
are notified to attend.

The long blue Bay stretched
away before them, free of hostile
sails. As they passed the mouth
of the York and later of the Rap-
pahannock River, Cabell stared
hard at the Virginia shore. On
these rivers and on the James and
Potomac, he knew, there lived the
Virginia landed gentry who were
said to feel themselves superior
even to rich Boston bankers and
importers. Englishmen under Sir
Walter Raleigh had landed on
these shores before the Mayflower
had sailed to Plymouth Rock. It
was very annoying to a young
Bostonian to have to think of it.
He was forced to call his new-
found patriotism into play to dis-
pel his malice. Virginia was one
of the United States, he reminded
himself, and no doubt was a very
agreeable place if you didn't mind
the heat and if you could excuse
the girls for being better educated
in their heels than their heads. . . .
Take Prudence Winthrop now. She
could talk about other things than
the latest dance figure.

Dixon, Illinois, February 23, A.
D. 1938.

Henry C. Warner,
Administrator
Feb. 23-March 2

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF MARY MYERS,
DECEASED.

The undersigned having been ap-
pointed Administrator of the Estate
of Mary Myers, deceased, late of
the County of Lee and the State
of Illinois, hereby gives notice that
he will appear before the County
Court of Lee County, at the Court
House in Dixon at the April Term,
on the First Monday in April next,
at which time all persons having
claims against said Estate are not-
ified and requested to attend for the
purpose of having the same ad-
justed. All persons indebted to said
Estate are requested to make im-
mediate payment to the under-
signed.

Dated this 15th day of February,
A. D. 1938.

Eugene Minnihan,
Administrator
John J. Armstrong,
Attorney.
Feb. 16-23-Mar. 2

NOTICE OF
FINAL SETTLEMENT

State of Illinois, Lee County, ss.
Estate of John Croughan, De-
ceased.

Public notice is hereby given that
the undersigned, administrator of
the estate of John Croughan, de-
ceased, will attend before the County
court of Lee county, at the court
house in Dixon on the 21st day of
March, 1938, for the purpose of
making a final settlement of said
estate, at which time and place I
will ask for an order of distribu-
tion, and will also ask to be dis-
charged. All persons interested are
notified to attend.

Dixon, Illinois, February 23, A.
D. 1938.

Henry C. Warner,
Administrator.
Feb. 23-March 2

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Alice Pontius, Deceased.
The undersigned having been ap-
pointed Administratrix of the
Estate of Alice Pontius, deceased,
late of the County of Lee and the
state of Illinois, hereby gives notice
that she will appear before the
County Court of Lee County, at the
Court House in Dixon at the May
Term, on the First Monday in May
next, at which time all persons
having claims against said Estate
are notified and requested to at-
tend for the purpose of having the
same adjusted. All persons in-
debted to said Estate are requested
to make immediate payment to the
undersigned.

Dated this 23rd day of February
A. D. 1938.

Goldie E. Tilton,
Administratrix.
John J. Armstrong,
Attorney.
Feb. 23-March 2-9, 1938

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

All persons having claims against
the Estate of Emma A. Smith, de-
ceased, are notified and requested
to present the same in writing for
adjustment before the County
Court of Lee County, Illinois, at
the Court House in the City of
Dixon on or before the first Mon-
day in May, A. D. 1938.

Dated this 2nd day of March,
A. D. 1938.

Agnes L. Smith,
Executrix.
Warner & Warner,
Attorneys. Mar. 2-9-16

The number of airports in opera-
tion in the U. S. on July 1 was
less by 41 compared with those in
use on the same date a year ago.
There are 2341 airports actively
operating as against 2042 on July 1,
1936.

For Love of Polly

By RACHEL MACK

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CAST OF CHARACTERS
POLLY CHELSEY, heroine,
stranded in London when war
breaks out.
JERRY WHITEFIELD, hero,
Yankee who sees her through.
C. A. L. L. BANKS, privateer
captain.

Yesterday's Neering America,
the Gray Gull is chased by British
men-o-war, but escapes.

CHAPTER XXV

MORNING found them off the
American coast opposite what
appeared to be Delaware, or Mary-
land. A shout went up from the
sailors. Polly wept openly for joy,
and Jerry's commands to the sail-
ors were husky with feeling.

On board there were several re-
liable sailors who had gone out
from Baltimore on the Gray Gull
more than once and had stayed
hopefully with her while she lay
docked at Carteret. These men
now proved of infinite value.
They were able to help their New
England officers round the treach-
erous Cape Charles and enter
Chesapeake Bay.

The long blue Bay stretched
away before them, free of hostile
sails. As they passed the mouth
of the York and later of the Rap-
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in their heels than their heads. . . .
Take Prudence Winthrop now. She
could talk about other things than
the latest dance figure.

JERRY and Cabell supposed the
most direct way to reach Wash-
ington would be to sail up the
Potomac. The Baltimore sailors,
however, with seamen's old dis-
trust of rivers, advised avoiding
the curving Potomac and sailing
direct to Baltimore. From there,
they suggested, Captain Banks
could easily go to Washington by
coach or horseback and procure
the papers.

This they agreed to do, Jerry the
more readily because of Polly.
Baltimore had good coach service

to Philadelphia, and from the lat-
ter city she would have no trouble
reaching home.

When they had entered Balti-
more harbor Jerry went to Polly
who stood at the bulwark watch-
ing the men drop anchor. "Go
below and get ready now, Polly.
A sailor's wife must be brisk."
"Get ready for what, Jerry?"
"To go ashore, my sweet, with
your dog and trunk."

"But, Jerry! You'd not put me
ashore in Maryland when I belong
in Connecticut!" Her face showed
honest amazement.

"Didn't you know, Polly, that
I'd put you ashore at the first
port? Did you suppose I'd keep
you an hour longer at sea than
I had to?"

"Oh, Jerry! I'd not figured it out,
but I supposed you'd take me
home to Lyme after you got your
papers. I might as well be honest
and say I hoped you'd decide to
keep me on board, Jerry. The way
some of the skippers out of New
England used to keep their wives
aboard. I know an old woman at
home who's been around the Horn
on her husband's ship seven
times."

"This is war time, Polly." He
spoke with finality and with such
regret that she could not make it
harder for him.

"All right, Jerry. But it's going
to take Cabell a couple of days to
go to Washington and back. Can
I stay here till then?"

"I'd thought to put you on a
stage coach, Polly, and see you
started on your way. I'd feel
easier about you."

But he could not resist her
pleading arm that stole around his
neck, nor the prospect of an extra
day and night with her on a de-
serted ship in a friendly port. He
said, "I reckon I've earned an-
other sunset and sunrise with you,
Polly. Stay if you will."

That night when the sailors
went ashore and Cabell was in
Washington, the Gray Gull was
their own. They stood at its bul-
warks and watched the lights of
Baltimore. Polly made one more
effort to snatch at happiness.

"You've brought the Gull home,
Jerry, and it wasn't easy. Cabell
couldn't have done it without you.
Every man aboard owes you his
life or his liberty—"

"It may be true, Polly. But
what of it?"

"This. You've done your part.
If Cabell's so set on going to sea
again, let him find another mate
for his clipper. You come home to
New England."

"Polly, what are you saying?"
He held her shoulders and looked
down into her face.

"I'm saying you don't belong to
the navy by rights," she answered

out of the death ward he was
named "Le Revenant" or "The
Ghost."

"I refused to conform even then,"
says the Irish Minister, remem-
bering that day.

After visiting the United States
with the Foreign Legion to help
put over the Fourth Liberty Loan
drive, MacWhite went back to Ire-
land just after the Sinn Fein revo-
lution and was made Irish dele-
gate to the Versailles Conference.

The next five years he spent in
Paris and Geneva pleading that
the Irish Free State be admitted
to the League of Nations. He ac-
complished this in 1923, became
Irish delegate to the League and
in 1929 was transferred to the
United States as the second Irish
minister in the history of Irish-
American relations.

Interview With the Pope
MacWhite has a greater fund of
good stories than almost anyone
in Washington, and there are al-
most as many good stories on him.
One of these revolves around the
ebullient personage of Sol Bloom,<

NEPTUNE HOLDS EQUATOR RITES ON NORMANDIE

Traditional "Polliwog" Initiation Stunts Are Imposed

The enormous, flaring bow of the Normandie, the largest ship ever to enter the Southern Hemisphere, did not prevent Neptune from climbing aboard in traditional fashion when the ship recently crossed the Equator. With his court of "shell-backs" (those who have crossed the Equator before), the king of the sea put the "polliwogs," or novices, through the usual penalties for their first equatorial trespass.

Ceremonies Revert to Vikings
"Equator-crossing ceremony is so old that its origin has been completely lost," says a bulletin from the Washington, D. C., headquarters of the National Geographic Society. "The Vikings celebrated the crossing of certain parallels with acts of good will, such as throwing a young bull overboard to appease Neptune."

"Equator celebrations usually begin the night before the ship crosses the imaginary line. A seaman, dressed as Davy Jones, appears with a message for the captain from Neptune. It states the time the ship is to stop to receive the Royal Party, and includes a summons for certain persons on board to appear before Neptune's court."

"Next morning King Neptune, accompanied by Amphitrite, his queen, climbs over the bow, and the 'hearing' resolves into a series of bumpings, duckings, latherings, and other methods of hazing of 'polliwogs.' The initiations vary somewhat on different ships and under different flags. The court consists of the Royal Scribe Doctor, Barber, Devil, and Bears, all costumed. The Bears are commissioned to round up all the 'polliwogs' for initiation. Often the Bears are in the minority and have a terrific struggle."

Salt Water Chaser
"When the 'polliwogs' are finally corralled, the Scribe calls off a name and the 'guilty one' steps forward to hear fictitious charges brought against him. Immediately seized by the Doctor for a physical examination, the patient may suffer anything from electric shocks to having huge soap pills stuffed in his mouth with a concentrated solution of salt water for chaser."

"While the culprit gulps, the Barber may lather him with a dirty mixture of thick soap suds and coal soot, or even black paint, before shaving him with a wooden razor the size of a butcher's knife. On long voyages the Barber may hack away hair with coarse shears, or apply black grease to give the head that well-groomed effect. Mercurochrome or red dyes are popular after-shaving lotions."

"At this point the victim may be passed along to the Devil who breaks an egg over his head, and shoves him backward into a tank of water. The Bears duck him several times before he is freed."

"It is usually a matter of days before 'polliwogs' regain their composure. Many cans of soap, gasoline, and numerous cleaning compounds are used to remove paints, varnishes, grease, and stains from the ship."

"Once a 'polliwog' is duly initiated he receives a certificate signed by Neptune and addressed to all mermaids, sea serpents, whales, sharks, porpoises, dolphins, seals, eels, suckers, lobsters, crabs, and other living things of the sea, admitting him to the superior order of 'shellbacks.'"

"Although initiations are not unduly rough they are seldom inflicted upon women aboard. If a woman is adventurous enough to travel across the Equator, it is felt that this alone warrants her a certificate."

"Discipline once made 'polliwog' ships' officers somewhat hesitant about entering into the ceremonies. Officers of the Navy formerly 'bought off' Neptune with bottles of beer. The younger officers, however, usually participated in the initiations."

"Even in an airplane today there are Equator-crossing formalities. Neptune Rex cannot climb aboard, but Jupiter Rex demands recognition. As king of the heavens, lord of the sun, moon, planets, stars, and nebulae, ruler of the winds and weather master of lightning and thunder supreme potentate of all things above the surface of the earth, he issues a certificate to winged 'polliwogs' entering his realm."

Man, 28, Confesses He Murdered WPA Worker Saturday

Chicago, March 2.—(AP)—Assistant State's Attorney Morris Meyers said John Roccoforte, 28, confessed Tuesday after hours of questioning that he fatally shot Bernard Vittallo, 21, a WPA worker, Saturday night.

Police said the two, both married, had quarrelled over friendship for Miss Margaret Nickolson, 21. Roccoforte was arrested shortly after Vittallo's body with five bullet wounds was found in an alley. Prosecutor Meyers said the prisoner denied the killing until today. Finally, Meyers said, he claimed he acted in self defense after Vittallo lunged at him.

Just Like Dad Is Jim, Junior



Sure, and he's his father's son, is James A. Farley, Jr., pictured above with his dad as they vacationed at Miami, Fla. James, Jr., looks a great deal like his dad—except, of course, that he has considerably more hair on his head than the postmaster-general.

AROUND THE COURT HOUSE

PROPERTY TRANSFERS
William F. Cunningham to Albert F. King et ux WD Lts. 7, 8, 9, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40 Maple Park Add. Dixon.

Henry C. Warner to William F. Cunningham, Rel.
W. F. Scholl to Loran W. Garren WD \$1 Lt. 11 Parsons' Industrial Add. Dixon.

Andrew Reinhart to George Henry Sudberg, WD \$1 Lts. 17, 18 Hoag's Sub. Lot 10 Dement's Add. Dixon.

Minnie Schade to Mary A. Landau WD \$1 Lt. 2, Bk. 22, Ashton, Isaac Trask et ux to Mary E. Gerbes WD \$1 same as above.

Isaac Herr et ux to Peter Dietrich QCD \$1 sec. 10 Alto Tp.
O. G. Connelly Tr. to Alden F. Hunter, Tr. QCD Pt. Lt. 1, Bk. 41, West Dixon.

Peter Dietrich to Isaac Herr QCD \$1 sec. 10 Alto Tp.
Edwin S. Rosecrans et ux to Augustus C. Gossman et ux WD \$1 Pt. Lts. 2, 3, Bk. 45 Dixon.

William A. Stelling et ux to Herbert L. Bollman et ux WD \$1 Lts. 63, 64, 65 Maple Park Add. Dixon.

Daisy P. Gorton et al. to Herbert L. Bollman et al. Rel.
Herbert L. Bollman et al. to William A. Stelling, et ux WD \$10 Pt. Lt. 2, Bk. 52, Dixon.

E. B. Raymond, Tr. to Herbert L. Bollman et ux Rel.
N. W. Mutual Life Ins. Co. to Conrad Schlesinger et ux WD \$14,500 net sw. 1/4; sec. 1, nw. 1/4, nw. 1/4, nw. 1/4, sec. 10 Brooklyn Tp.

David L. Barnett et ux to Irene Berry et al. WD \$26,895 Pt. sw. 1/4, sec. 1 Brooklyn Tp.

John G. Boyle et ux to Klaus Sveta WD \$1 sw. 1/4 Sec. 23 Reynolds Tp.

James C. Fassler to Charles Ewald et al. Rel.
Paul W. Charter to Jay McLean, Rel.

Tr. estate Florence C. Canfield to Harry Osterander et al. Dd. \$5,200 w. 1/4, nw. 1/4, sec. 26 Harmon Tp.

N. W. Mutual Life Ins. Co. to Henry C. Baumgartner et ux. WD \$16,000 sw. 1/4, sec. 16 Hamilton Tp.

Wilson C. Berry, Dec'd by Exec. to Glenn Berry et al. Exec. Dd. \$16,500 w. 1/4, sec. 6, w. 1/4, nw. 1/4, sec. 7 Wyom. Henry.

Henry Lind et al. by Mas. to Clement F. Johnson, Mas. Dd. \$19,001 Pt. nw. 1/4, sec. 33, Dixon Tp.; Pt. Lt. 34 Moeller's Survey; Pt. Bk. 6, North Dixon; Pt. Lt. 34 Moeller's Survey, Dixon.

130,000 Alumni Observe Founding Of Illinois U.
Urbana, Ill., March 2.—(AP)—More than 130,000 alumni of the University of Illinois were to join today in observing the 70th anniversary of the founding of their alma mater. Featuring the early program was the laying of wreaths on graves of the five deceased past presidents, three here, one in Chicago, and one in Albany, N. Y.

A 45 minute radio broadcast was scheduled for 9:30 p. m. (CST) for a portrayal of the university's growth. Alumni dinner parties in all parts of the country, were to listen.

THREE DIE IN FLAMES
White Plains, N. Y., March 2.—(AP)—A mother and two children were burned to death in a fire that destroyed their home. The victims were Mrs. Adella Lichtenthal, 52, Morris, 21 and Cecelia, 11.

NAZIS, RUSSIA CAN CONSTRUCT LARGER SHIPS

London Consultations Give Some Nations More Leeway

Washington, March 2.—(AP)—The present London consultations among the United States, Britain and France, officials said today, will clear the way for Germany and Russia to build larger warships.

The results of the consultations, which were regarded here as certain to abandon the 35,000 ton limit on battleships and the 8,000 ton limit on cruisers, will be communicated to Germany and Russia by Britain.

This is by virtue of the naval treaties Great Britain has with those two nations.

The first treaty, which limits the German navy to 35 per cent of the British navy, also contains a qualitative clause limiting the size of battleships to 35,000 tons. The Russian treaty is more vague because Soviet officials will not discuss any limitation of their Asiatic fleet.

Italy Freest to Build
Italy also can build larger ships. Bound by no pacts, she is the freest large nation in Europe as far as treaty limitations are concerned. Britain and France are bound, together with the United States, by the treaty of 1936.

Communication of the results of the London consultations to Germany, Washington observers believe, will have the effect of passing this information on to Japan.

Japan, who has officially refused information on her extra-limitation plans, will thus be informed of American plans without disclosing hers.

Britain, however, cannot inform Germany or Russia in detail of the United States' intentions, but only of hers. Observers pointed out, however, that a good inference could be drawn by anyone who learns of Britain's plans.

France, it was learned here, still hesitates to build larger ships, despite Japan's silence.

The escalator clause of the 1936 treaty now under discussion at London carries two alternatives. One lifts the limit of 35,000 tons and applies a new limit by agreement. The other, which now appears favored, simply makes the sky the limit.

RED OAK

On Dec. 10, 1937, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ezra P. Guithier, Florence Ione, was united in holy matrimony to Elmer J. Wangelin at the Ohio Methodist parsonage.

The pastor, Rev. R. A. Mulligan, performed the single ring ceremony in the presence of the witnesses, Miss Joyce Wangelin, sister of the groom, and Clifford Abbott, both Mr. and Mrs. Wangelin are popular young people in the Red Oak community.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hammerle, Priscilla and Marlowe were shoppers in Princeton Saturday.

Miss Alice Gramer visited Miss Margaret Maycox in Princeton Sunday afternoon. Miss Maycox is quite ill.

Robert Hammerle and his uncle, Ed Hammerle, motored to Woodhull Saturday.

Sunday dinner guests of W. A. Karn and family were Roy Fox, Mr. and Mrs. John Hammerle and family and Mrs. Milton Burke and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Barnes of Pearl City were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Guithier.

Mrs. Flossie Bacon and Carrie Hammerle and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wolworth spent Monday in Freeport.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Plapp and Kay Marline spent Sunday in Freeport.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ioder and family were last Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Plapp of Hoopole.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Guithier and family of Naperville were Sunday callers at the Albert Guithier home. Lila Wyberg and Mrs. Rufus Bacon were Dixon shoppers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Bacon and Mrs. Mary Wyberg spent Tuesday in Canton.

Mrs. Glen Albrecht is helping her mother move this week.

The Women's Missionary society met Thursday afternoon at the home of Lizzie Albrecht with Florence Fahs assistant hostess. Mrs. Ed Burke read the devotionals. Mrs. George Guithier had charge of the Prayer League. Hattie Ioder gave the lesson study. Current events were read by Pearl Parson. Luella Ioder had charge of the Leaflet. A special number was given by Mrs. Mabel Ruff. Lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farmer and family called on Miss Helen Murphy of Tiskilwa Sunday, who has been ill with pneumonia for the past week.

HUGE WAR GAMES
San Pedro, Calif., March 2.—(AP)—Into the largest war game ever played on the North Pacific, the United States fleet will hurl more than 150 ships and 500 planes this month, Navy sources said today.

His Vacation Ends Abruptly



Admiral Nicholas Horthy, ruler of Hungary, was hunting in Poland with President Ignatz Mościcki when the above picture was taken. Admiral Horthy has more serious things to think about now, however, as unrest grips his country after discovery of an alleged Nazi plot to seize power.

LAMOILLE

Lamoille—Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wiman, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Beatty, Mr. and Mrs. New Hopps, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Hopps, Mr. and Mrs. George Barger entertained with a bridge party at the Community hall Tuesday evening of last week.

Mrs. Reuben Abbott visited last Wednesday in Tampico.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Steckel entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner Friday evening honoring the birthdays of Mrs. Henry Butler and Mrs. Richard Crossman, Sr.

The Reuben Abbott family visited in Aurora Monday.

Donald Trimmer of Calton, N. J., is visiting at the Alden Sliker home.

Clifford Hopps and Mrs. Lydia Beattie entertained guests at dinner Sunday.

Dewey Drummer and wife of Spring Valley visited in Lamoille Thursday.

Mrs. Margaret Schmehr and daughter Pearl entertained guests at supper last Tuesday.

Howard Lawrence of Rock Island was a guest in the Abbott Lawrence home Sunday.

Allen Richardson and wife of Butte, Mont., have been guests of Mrs. Maria Marriott.

Eugene Drummer and wife and Richard Crossman, Jr., and wife visited in Princeton Tuesday.

John Humphrey and family were weekend visitors in Chicago.

Miss Irene Bower has moved into the home owned by Mrs. Fannie Frizzell.

Hat Corporation Strike Settlement Projected Today

DeKalb, Ill., March 2.—(AP)—M. S. Ryder, a representative of the national labor relations board, and William G. Murray, state labor conciliator, sought today settlement of the strike at the Murray Hat corporation plant.

The two Chicago mediators hoped to iron out differences between management and the United Hatters, Cap and Millinery Workers' union, an affiliate of the A. F. of L., which called the strike Monday for recognition as collective bargaining agent. In a report filed with the labor relations board the union charged Murray employees who became members were discharged.

Murray Offenberger, company president, said, however, that not more than 20 employees were members of the A. F. of L. union and that more than 100 had voted to join an independent union.

The case of Carmen Lucia, a union organizer, charged with intent to do bodily harm, was continued for 10 days. She was previously convicted and fined \$25 on a disorderly conduct charge. Both cases grew out of strike violence at the plant Monday.

500 Highwaymen At Conference
Urbana, Ill., March 2.—(AP)—About 500 engineers, contractors, and state and county officials from several midwest states came here today for the opening of the three-day 25th annual highway conference at the University of Illinois, highlighted by a session on safety. Opening day speakers included P. Lynden Smith, state director of public works and buildings.

BRITAIN TOSSES MORE FUEL INTO ARMS FURNACE

Starts Second Year Of Huge Rearmament Project

London, March 2.—(AP)—Tossing more fuel into the roaring rearmament furnace, Britain will spend more than a half billion dollars on her air force in the year beginning April 1.

Air estimates announced today totaled 111,502,000 pounds or \$557,510,000—allowing for purchase of planes, construction, maintenance, borrowed money, interests, etc.

Technically the figure was put at 73,500,000, or \$367,500,000 as against 56,500,000 pounds or \$282,500,000 last year. This total is the estimate for specific and apparent expenses on the air force.

The larger figure, however, taking in interest charges, etc., shows the real measure of British spending to make the British air force the world's best.

The figures, released by coincidence on the heels of German Field Marshal Goering's boastful assertion yesterday that the German air force would be "awful in action" if war should come, included expenditures for the fleet air arm—planes attached to the naval fleet.

Britain Feverish
The indication of Britain's feverish rearming came from Viscount Swinton, secretary of state for air, in a memorandum accompanying estimates that the number of persons employed in the aircraft industry had increased from 30,000 in 1935 to a present 90,000. This did not include persons employed in the production of armament or other equipment.

Parliamentary approval of the estimates was regarded largely as a technicality, although they will furnish grounds for parliamentary debate.

Army and navy estimates are forthcoming tomorrow and Friday, respectively.

Premier Chamberlain was expected to sun up the whole sombre rearmament picture—with Britain's peace jeopardized both in the Orient and in Europe—in tonight's white paper.

Abandoned Mine Will Be Searched For Missing Man

Marion, Ill.—(AP)—Deputy Sheriff Phenister prepared today to extend into an abandoned mine his search for Armo Bratten, former high school principal whose bloodstained automobile was found here Feb. 21 after Bratten had been missing a week.

Phenister and Gilbert Bratten, son of the 58-year-old educator, visited the old Paulton mine yesterday after residents of the area recalled seeing prowlers there the night Bratten disappeared.

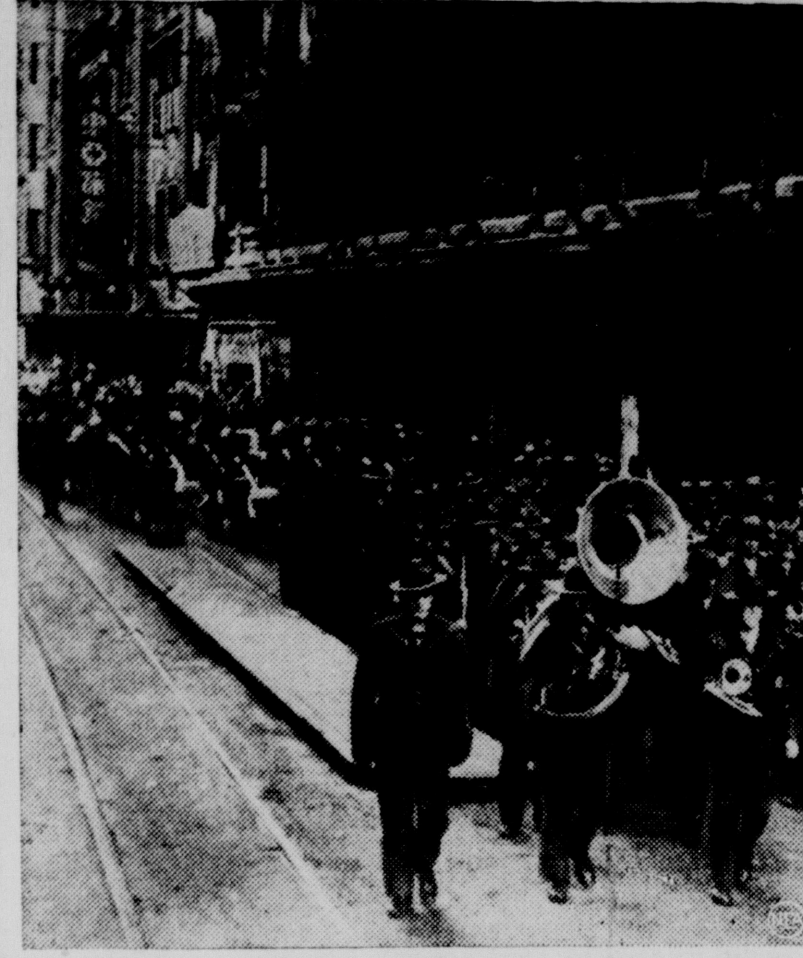
The deputy reported finding no evidence of bloodstains, said in reports to have been found near the shaft entrance.

Flight Lieut. M. J. Adams, under the auspices of the British Air Ministry, reached an altitude of 53,937 feet, in an official test, thereby setting a world mark and regaining the record from Italy.

Majority Are Girls
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As U. S. Marines Quit Shanghai



The Sixth U. S. Marines are pictured above as, led by their band, they quit Shanghai for their new station at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, after comparative order had been restored to the war-torn Chinese city. These marines were rushed from San Diego when the Japanese-Chinese fighting was at its height in and around the far eastern metropolis. The Fourth U. S. Marines remain in Shanghai.

STUDENTS URGE THAT LI'L ABNER WED DAISY MAE

Creator Of Comic Receives Petition From Pupils

Do you agree with the students of the Steuben junior high school in Milwaukee who are regular followers of Al Capp's comic strip "Li'l Abner"—which appears daily here in the Telegraph—that its hero and his girl Daisy Mae should get married?

Capp recently received a petition, signed by 192 pupils of the school asking him to put poor Daisy Mae out of the misery of her uncertainty.

Miss Virginia Varley, of 1545 North 57th street, Milwaukee, in a letter accompanying the petition, said regarding Li'l Abner:

"We want to see him get hitched up—and to none other than Daisy Mae."

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closing sentence in her letter to Capp:

"We'll be listening for the wedding bells."

Capp's Reply
Faced with this attitude, Capp, with the advantage of distance between him and the girls, made the following reply:

"Will Li'l Abner marry Daisy Mae? Believe me, I do not know. I can only chronicle their romance as it comes to me. While I—like you and like Mammy and Pappy Yokum and Daisy Mae herself—would breathe a sigh of relief if once they were wed, I cannot do anything about it but to let nature take its course."

This reply, of course, is craven and equivocal. What will come of it, only time will tell. But it seems likely, from the tone of their letter, that those girls in Milwaukee are not the kind likely to take yes-and-no for an answer.

St. Louis Women Held For Aiding Convict To Flee

Chester, Ill.—(AP)—Two St. Louis women were held today for preliminary hearings March 8 on charges of aiding a prisoner to escape after what they described as an attempt to "visit" with a trusty at the southern Illinois state prison Monday.

State's Attorney Walter J. Schuwerk said Miss Jean Sandler, 25, and Mrs. Ruth Moran, 31, were apprehended as they drove away from the prison grounds with John Craig, the prisoner, in their automobile.

Schuwerk said they told him they planned to return with Craig. Neither furnished bond, set at \$2,000.

DATES SET FOR CONFERENCE ON STATE BUDGET

General Plan of Tax Relief Aim Of Coming Hearings

Springfield, Ill., March 2.—(AP)—The Illinois budgetary commission arranged dates today for hearings in its study of state expenditures and income with the ultimate aim of recommending to the governor and legislature a general plan of tax relief and more equitable distribution.

The commission said that its report, to be made in September, would also include suggestions for changes in the state system of receipts and expenses along with economic consolidations through the merging of departments.

The commission, headed by Rep. James P. Boyle of Chicago, has been divided into two sub-committees for the study of special problems related to budget matters.

One group is to survey the civil service system with the aim of recommending standardization. The other sub-committee has received requests for consideration of a number of subjects, the commission said, including:

Reversion of unclaimed cash balances in Illinois banks to local educational or relief funds in lieu of present taxes; possible elimination of reduction of the two per cent allowance for the collection of motor fuel taxes, the amount to be used in lieu of other taxes; a tax on cigarettes to increase relief funds; legislation covering oil production and regulation.

Hearings arranged include those on taxation and regulation of pipe lines; Illinois Central railroad charter obligations to the state, and revision of the laws regarding application of the state inheritance tax.

FLOOD IN LOS ANGELES

Los Angeles, March 2.—(AP)—Storm waters rose over large areas of Los Angeles county in the heaviest flood since the disastrous cloud-burst of New Year's Day, 1934.

Several hundred homes in the lowlands of Venice, a beach resort, were menaced. Lifeguards ordered residents to be ready to flee. One family was rescued in a rowboat.

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